

# 2,500,000 MEN IN BATTLE

## ANTWERP PROVISIONED FOR SIEGE

### OLD CUSTOM OF CHURCH MAY GO

Cardinals Discuss Election of Pope Without Seculsion

Greater Personal Freedom During Conclave Is Their Purpose

ROME, Aug. 21.—It is asserted that the cardinals have discussed the advisability of holding the conclave for the election of a successor to Pius X without shutting themselves within the Vatican throughout their deliberations, as has been the traditional practice.

Heretofore each cardinal has had an apartment in the palace, with accommodations also for his secretary and servants and on the occasion of the last conclave the three days' session of the sacred college entailed an expense of \$120,000.

It has been suggested that the cardinals meet at the Vatican twice daily for a ballot until a choice has been made and at the close of each session return to their homes or wherever they may be staying.

These sittings would, of course, be under the seal of absolute secrecy, while permitting greater freedom on the part of the cardinals.

Among the so-called political cardinals, headed by Cardinal Agliardi, a movement is under way to have the sacred college of cardinals address the emperors, kings and presidents of the countries engaged in war, asking them to declare a truce while the pontiff is being elected. This plan, as well as the preparation to assist the emperor, provides for the assistance of the United States, as the greatest neutral power.

**PENSIONS FOR SISTERS.**

Nothing is officially known about the late Pope's will, but the Giornale d'Italia says it is drawn in humble, pious language. It recommends that his successor grant his sisters a pension of \$50 monthly each, but does not mention his niece, Gilda Parolin. It also expresses the desire that a pension of \$12 monthly be granted to his valet.

The newspaper adds that the late pontiff asks that his secretaries, Monsignor Giovanni Bressan and Monsignor Giuseppe Vescei, be promoted to canopies.

The will contains a recommendation that the burial be a modest one in the crypt of St. Peter's. It concludes by invoking God's forgiveness for the sins which the testator may have committed, especially as pontiff.

The report was made public in London late last night and telegraphed to New York that Anna Sarto, sister of the late Pope Pius X, had died in Rome shortly after the passing away.

### Sugar Prices Drop; Coast Market Set

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 21.—Sugar was quoted at \$7 the hundred weight here today, a reduction of 50 cents from yesterday's prices. Refiners said the price here would govern the Pacific Coast markets.

PORTLAND, Ore., Aug. 21.—From its record high price in the local market of \$8.05 per hundred, which it had maintained for several days, cane sugar took a sudden drop today to \$7.55. All other grades also fell off 50 cents. Dealers say they have not yet ascertained whether the federal investigation ordered by President Wilson is responsible.

### Dominican Revolt Is Reported as Ended

WASHINGTON, Aug. 21.—The revolution in the Dominican Republic is at an end, according to a message received today at the Dominican Legation. The American peace delegates and the factional leaders reached an agreement today for the selection of a provisional President, who has not yet been named, the message said.

### Aviator Drops 1000 Feet, Escapes Death

NEW YORK, N. Y., Albert Fleux of New York City fell 1000 feet in his monoplane in the Hempstead aviation field today, while looping the loop and escaped with his life. He was badly bruised and lacerated, but surgeons at the Nassau Hospital said that he was suffering only from shock.

### COUNT'S SON IS SLAIN; BROTHERS TO AVENGE HIM

PARIS, Aug. 21.—Count Guerry de Beauregard, a veteran of the war of 1870, thus announces the death of a son at the front:

One son already has met the death of the brave beyond the frontier at the head of a squadron of the Seventh Hussars. Others will avenge him. Another of my sons, an artilleryman, is with the general staff. My eldest son is with the First Chasseurs. Long live France!

### FOUR NEAR DEATH

Americans, Including Two Women, Escape With Lives From Battle.

BERLIN, via Copenhagen and London, Aug. 21, 4:25 p. m.—Four Americans, two men and two women, have just made known their remarkable escape from death at Muelhausen, where they were during the fighting.

They are Edward Walker, a dentist, of Macon, Ga., and his wife, and Mr. and Mrs. Cade, whose home address cannot be ascertained. Cade is also a dentist. They were caught at Muelhausen at the beginning of the fighting and had to remain several days amidst a hail of projectiles. They are now safe at Glattebadon, in the black forest, whither they walked from Muelhausen.

A letter from one of the quartette, which has been brought to Berlin, says the uninterrupted fighting and fire of artillery never will be forgotten.

"Projectiles struck the house we

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### Six Killed in Fight With Mexican Outlaws

RAY, Ariz., Aug. 21.—Six men are known to be dead and two are missing as the result of the fighting between the authorities and a band of four Mexican outlaws. Of these killed four were Americans and two Mexicans.

The two remaining Mexicans of the band were reported to have been surrounded by posse in the hills between Ray and Globe. The men have taken a strong position, according to reports, and another fight is expected before they are either captured or killed.

### War Risk Insurance Bill Passes Senate

WASHINGTON, Aug. 21.—The Senate passed today, after two hours' debate, the emergency war risk insurance bill, carrying an appropriation of \$5,000,000 for the purpose of insuring American vessels and cargoes against their loss by war.

The bill was amended by unanimous vote before passage, the provision that rates of insurance be fixed on an equality with those imposed by belligerent nations which employ government insurance, being stricken out.

### Dutch Soldiers Shoot at German Dirigible

AMSTERDAM, via Paris, Aug. 21.—Notable activity is evident among the German air craft, which fly frequently over Holland.

A Zeppelin, following the course of the Rhine, passed over Zevenaar today. Dutch soldiers shot at it and the dirigible disappeared over the German frontier. Another Zeppelin flew over Maestrecht last night and followed the road to Meeran, afterward disappearing.

German aeroplanes also have been seen in several directions scouting over Holland.

### No Countries Have Withdrawn Exhibits

WASHINGTON, Aug. 21.—Answering inquiries received from foreigners in European countries, Secretary Bryan has officially stated that the Panama-Pacific Exposition at San Francisco in 1915 will be held as announced. So far none of the European countries, who declared their intention to exhibit at the fair have withdrawn.

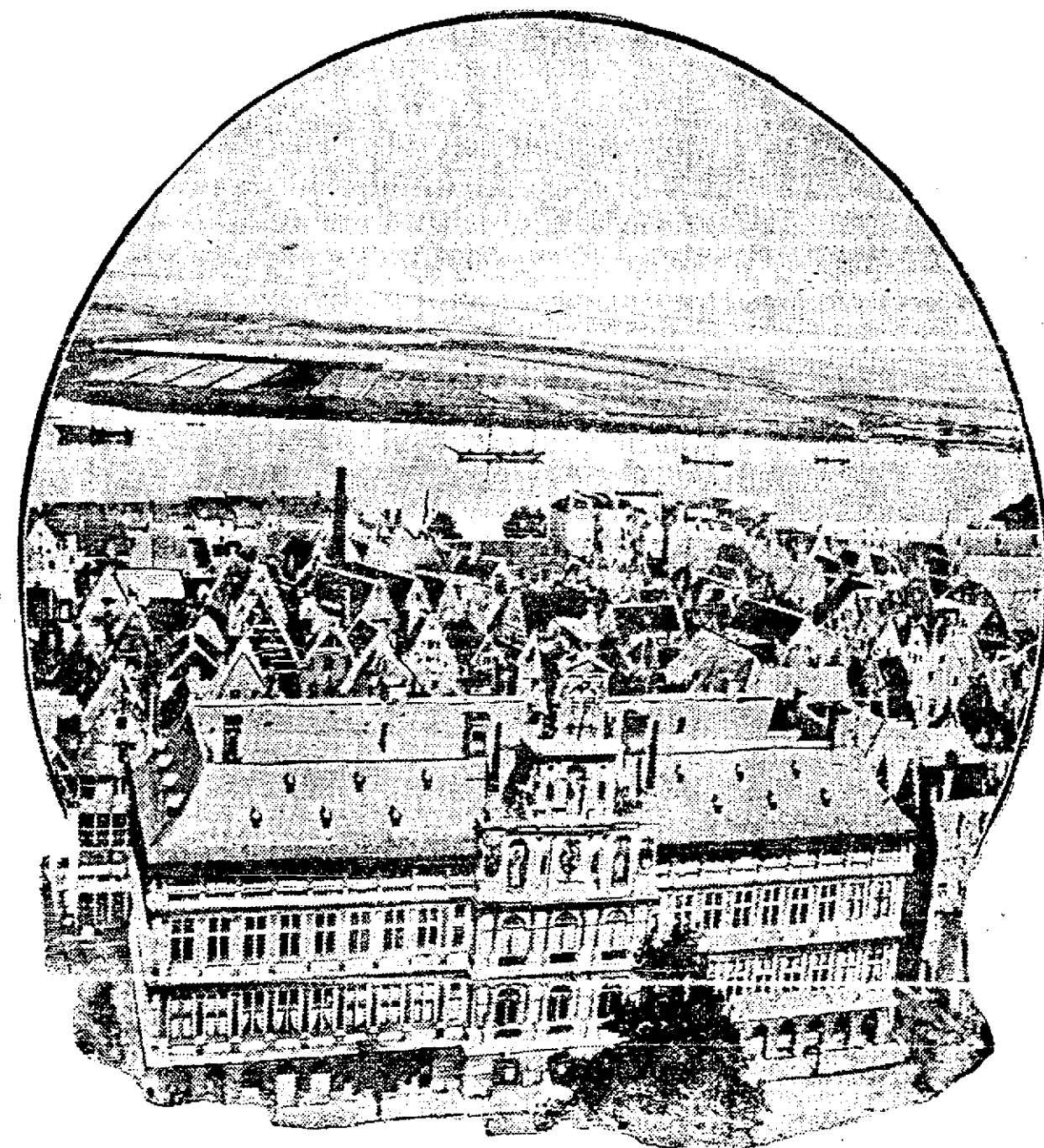
### Yeggmen Blow Safe; Escape in stolen Car

DUTCH FLAT, Cal., Aug. 21.—Yeggmen blew open the Dutch Flat postoffice safe today and escaped with several hundred dollars in cash and stamps. Their flight was accomplished with the aid of a stolen team of horses.

Four years ago the same safe was robbed in a similar manner.

## ARMIES OF EUROPEAN POWERS ENGAGED IN GIGANTIC STRUGGLE OF HISTORY IN BELGIUM

VIEW OF ANTWERP AND THE SCHELD, THE CANAL THAT CONNECTS ANTWERP WITH THE SEA. ANTWERP IS THE NEW BELGIAN CAPITAL AND SEAT OF MILITARY OPERATIONS.



## OAKLAND GOODS TO JAPAN, CONVOYED

Laden with prepared roofing, planned according to the agents, for use in making portable hospital and supply depots for the Japanese army, twenty sets of steel-studded tire shoes for armored automobile trucks, and other supplies such as fiber, lace and chemicals, all made under rush orders by Oakland factories for the Japanese government, the Tora Kishon Kasha's trans-Pacific liner Shinwa Maru will leave for Japanese ports, probably on Monday, under the convoy of the Japanese cruiser Idzumo, now off Hunter's Point awaiting orders for Japan.

The liner will sail on the day of the expiration of Japan's ultimatum to Germany to evacuate Japanese ports. It is believed that if war is declared the liner will be forced to pass the Lehigh, and this would mean an attack off the heads if a state of war exists at the time. The Idzumo is being held awaiting orders, and open application for the convoy has been made by the Japanese steamer's owners. This fact, together with the fact that war supplies are in the hold of the ship, make it practically certain, according to shipping men, that the two ships will sail together.

**THIS IS CARGO.**

The war supplies loaded on the ship, after hurried work by Oakland factories on rush orders, include the following:

Thirteen carloads of roofing, made by the American Roofing Company of Oakland, and valued at more than \$20,000.

Twenty sets of tire shoes, steel-studded and designed for armored army trucks. Made on a cabled rush order by the Pacific Leather Works of Oakland, under the direct supervision of a Japanese officer.

One big load of wood pulp from the C. A. Smith Lumber Company, ordered direct from Japan.

One load of ink, from the California Ink Works, Oakland; also on a rush order.

The roofing company is now filling a second order, bigger than the first, for shipment to Japan as soon as completed. The factory worked day and night finishing the order, which was rushed over all other material.

While the materials for war were being loaded on the big liner in San Francisco, a special guard of policemen, under secret orders, watched the steamer yards and dock, and the Idzumo lay at anchor in the distance, awaiting orders from the Japanese consul. It was openly stated by sailors and others that arrangements were being made for the two steamers to travel together. Captain K. Morioka of the cruiser is now awaiting final orders.

The roofing supplies from the Oakland factory were ordered through private Japanese firms, with the understanding, however, that they were to be rushed for this sailing, and later it was admitted by the agents that the Japanese government was behind the order. The same course was pursued during the Japanese-Russian war, when the same materials were being made for the Japanese army. It is used for portable houses, utilized on the field for hospitals, ammunition storage and officers' house accommodations. It is more sanitary and durable than canvas.

The automobile tire shoes were ordered from V. K. Sturges direct from Andrews & George, Yokohama, Japan. The cable order stated that the work should be rushed, as the goods were for army trucks, and the specifications were for tires to fit the heaviest type of armored vehicle.

The Idzumo, when only orders came direct from the Japanese government.

**WY NEED GUARD**

The arrival of the Idzumo was considerably shrouded in mystery, although at the time the local manufacturers engaged on government contracts had an inkling of the plan. It was known that the materials ordered by Japan were for war purposes, or at least for army use. The ship will not sail before the expiration of the Japanese ultimatum to Germany, and hence will need the guard of the cruiser should war be declared with Germany by the Japanese.

Japanese Consul Komatsu this morning denied any official information as to the probable movements of the cruiser, but admitted that the Idzumo was being held for sailing orders and was ready for an immediate start if necessary. He declared:

### WAR NEWS IN BRIEF

By Associated Press.

LONDON, Aug. 21.—Telegraphing from Copenhagen the correspondent of the Daily Mail says that the third list of German casualties, aggregating about 1000 men killed or wounded, mainly infantrymen, has been published in Berlin. The correspondent adds that the Cologne Gazette confirms the report that Prince Frederick William of Lippe was killed before Liege.

LONDON, Aug. 21.—The Paris correspondent of the Exchange Telegraph Company sends a story, originating in Christiania, which states that Emperor William ordered the attacks by the Germans on Liege and that General Von Emmich was not responsible for them.

PARIS, Aug. 21.—Three hundred Alsatians left here for the war today. They first passed before the statue of Joan of Arc and then before the Strasbourg monument in the Place de la Concorde, singing the "Marseillaise" and shouting "Long live France."

LONDON, Aug. 21.—A dispatch to the Exchange Telegraph Company, sent from Vienna under yesterday's date, says that the Austrian government has issued a final call to arms for all able-bodied men from the ages of twenty to forty-two years.

PARIS, Aug. 21.—A dispatch to the Havas agency from Rome says the advance of the Montenegrins in Bosnia continues. The dispatch adds that Austrian aeroplanes Wednesday flew over the mountains and dropped bombs on the Montenegrin forts. The bombs, however, did no damage.

LONDON, Aug. 21.—A dispatch to the Reuters Telegraph Company from Grages says that eighteen German officers and 432 men, prisoners of war, have been sent away from that city via Dunkirk for England. When they left Grages they were escorted by a dozen gendarmes with fixed bayonets.

## FIGHT OVER GRIM FRONT OF 250 MILES

By Associated Press.

PARIS, Aug. 21, 4:40 p. m.—The Matin says the French have captured thus far 91 German field guns, 4 flags and 19 automobiles.

Lieut. Col. Roussett, a retired military critic of excellent reputation, says the great battle has begun along a front of nearly 250 miles, 2,500,000 men taking part.

500 DEAD AND WOUNDED.

LONDON, Aug. 21, 5:15 p. m.—The Central News has received a dispatch from Paris saying that French forces defeated a detachment of German cavalry coming from Leopoldshoehe and Hueningen in an engagement near Basel. The Germans retired in the direction of St. Louis, leaving 500 dead and wounded on the field. They lost most of their horses.

**DIRIGIBLE THROWS PROJECTILES.**

PARIS, Aug. 21.—A French official note says: "A French dirigible last night threw a number of projectiles on two German cavalry camps in Belgium, causing great excitement. Despite the fire of the enemy, the air craft returned safely to the French lines."

**GERMANS IN BRUSSELS.**

LONDON, Aug. 21.—A dispatch to the Central News from Ghent, under yesterday's date, says the Germans arrived at Brussels Thursday morning.

The Amsterdam correspondent of the Chronicle telegraphing yesterday said that Antwerp was being put in a state of defense and was being provisioned for a siege.

He adds that it was stated at the office of the general staff Thursday that all foreign correspondents found in Belgium after last night would be shot.

**GREAT PREPARATIONS MADE.**

The correspondent of the Times at The Hague telegraphing today says:

"The preparations for the defense of Antwerp extend over an enormous area. All classes in the city are joining in the work day and night, but there is no sign of panic or excitement. The gates driven through the wall by a peace-loving people are closed while this work of preparation goes doggedly forward. Antwerp itself offers a strange contrast. At almost every window appear English, Belgian and French flags, giving a festive air to the city, which is preparing to resist to the last gasp."

A telegram from Ostend, Belgium, to the Daily Mail dated last night said the main body of the German army around Brussels camped for the night just outside the city, which already had been formally occupied by a small advance guard. The remainder of the troops will enter the Belgian capital today.

Telegraphic communication between England and Brussels was entirely interrupted today and no dispatches were accepted for any place in the Belgian provinces of Limbourg, Liege, Namur, Luxembourg, Brabant or Antwerp, except for the city of Antwerp.

**DUE IN PARIS YESTERDAY.**

Yesterday was about the time when, according to the forecasts of their own and many other military writers in Europe, the German troops were due to appear before the walls of Paris.

According to French official advice, it is the Germans' intention to pass their main army into France by the Brussels road. The Germans themselves are naturally silent, but there is no reason to doubt that they are quite as well aware of the difficulties of this route as are their opponents.

The Namur forts have not yet been attacked or rather had not been at the time of the latest advices.

**FRONT OF NEARLY FORTY MILES.**

At the rear of the Germans four Austrian army corps are said to have reinforced, the battle is said to be developing a front of nearly forty miles, and according to French statements, nothing is heard from the German side.

An impenetrable curtain has been drawn over the operations in the center of the battle line, where the main French army is engaged in the fighting.

The Russian advance in East Prussia apparently stretches over a front of sixty miles between Stalluponen and Lyck, but the Russian invaders have not yet gained much German ground. Little is heard of the Austrian operations at present, but it is

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# GERMAN ARMY CONCENTRATES IN BELGIUM

## MAIN BODY OF KAISER'S TROOPS ARE ENCAMPED OUTSIDE OF BRUSSELS

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known that Austrian contingents are moving along the Rhine to meet the French advance in Alsace.

According to dispatches received at the Belgian legation here, the Belgian army retired on Antwerp in good order and is "now ready to co-operate with the allies."

### PREPARE FOR GREAT BATTLE.

PARIS, Aug. 21, 5:45 a. m.—The Petit Parisien review of the war situation today says:

"A great battle is preparing. Belgium is to be the theater of the most formidable shock in history, the duration of which escapes prophecy."

"Repulsed in the south at Dinant by the French, the Germans have been making since Tuesday a vigorous offensive movement towards the north which on Wednesday forced the Belgians, after a fine resistance, to fall back on Antwerp. The Berlin government will claim a triumph, whereas from a strategic point of view the movement is of a mediocre importance."

"The French armies also have taken up their respective positions and it is certain that our general staff is far from being taken until prepared by our adversaries' tactics. The staff had long foreseen them and is prepared to deal with them under the best auspices."

Official news made public in Paris today says that the German forces continue to pass the Meuse in the vicinity of Huy, and that an important concentration is being carried out in Belgium this (Friday) morning.

No French territory is occupied by the enemy except a piece of enclosed land at Audun Leronan, in the department of Meurthe, and Moselle.

### CAVALRY PATROLS AT ANTWERP.

ANTWERP, Aug. 21, 1:20 p. m., via Paris, 9:10 a. m.—An official statement says that the situation is unchanged. German cavalry patrols are circulating around Brussels, severing communication between the capital and Antwerp, and between these cities and the central part of the country.

### INHABITANTS LEAVE BRUSSELS.

GHEENT, Belgium, via Paris, 7:50 a. m.—German Hussars and Uhlans arrived this morning (probably Thursday) on the shooting grounds at the gates of Brussels, whither the burgomaster went to parley with them.

In the afternoon German officers occupying an automobile crossed Grand Palace (the market place), going to the city hall, while detachments of Germans went through various parts of the city.

The telegraph office and railroad station were closed for the greater part of the day. Many of the inhabitants of Brussels are leaving for Ghent and Ostend.

The general opinion is that the Germans will only pass through the city or at the most make a short stay here.

The only suggestions of animation in the place are caused by the arrival of peasants who are abandoning the surrounding villages. The German troops have established themselves on the shooting ground. They are understood to have said that they had been cut off from the rest of the army.

### NO SHOTS FIRED.

LONDON, Aug. 21.—The Ghent correspondent of the Chronicle telegraphs Brussels is now occupied by the enemy, having been surrendered to the Germans without the firing of a single shot.

### FIELD ARMY RETREATS.

LONDON, Aug. 21.—The official statement from Paris, after telling of the capture of Brussels, says:

"In conformity with a prearranged plan, the Belgian field army retreated on the entrenched camp of Antwerp, after brilliantly fulfilling its duty as dictated by the strategic situation and delaying for fortnight the German passage of the Meuse."

"Antwerp has a double role. It is a formidable entrenched camp, fortified on most modern lines, and is the base from which the Belgian army can threaten the German flank and co-operate effectively with the allies."

"The Antwerp defenses consist of three fortifications, whose power of resistance can be heightened by flooding a large area around all the works. Antwerp is fully equipped with the most perfect appliances. To besiege the fortress the Germans would have to detach imposing forces and a large siege train. This they are not likely to do. If they do not, they will be obliged to cover themselves against the operations of the Belgian army, which is intact, thanks to the skillful retreat, and augmented by the Antwerp garrison."

LIEGE FORTS HOLD OUT. "It is to be added that the Liege forts still hold out. Those at Namur have not yet been attacked. They are as strong as the forts at Liege and have been considerably strengthened in the past two weeks."

From this it would seem that the advancing German armies are caught between the positions of Namur and Antwerp, a distance from each other of only thirty-five miles as the crow flies. The German situation is then a difficult one, since they lack the chief requisite of a plan of march through Belgium, namely, a free passage of the Meuse, a route by Liege and Namur and inaction on the part of the Belgian army.

### Grand Duke Nicholas Heads Russian Army

LONDON, Aug. 21, 5:05 p. m.—The Central News correspondent in Rome says an official dispatch from St. Petersburg asserts that a Russian army composed of twenty army corps will carry out the invasion of Prussia under the direction of Grand Duke Nicholas.

## CHEER PRINCE OF WALES HEADS GUARDS IN LONDON



CROWD CHEERING PRINCE OF WALES, LEAVING ADMIRALTY BUILDING AFTER RECEIVING HIS COMMISSION AS AN OFFICER.

## Son of King Marches Through Streets of the English Capital, Leading Grenadiers

LONDON, Aug. 21.—The Prince of Wales marched through London yesterday at the head of a Grenadier Guards detachment. He was cheered enthusiastically.

## France Assembles 18,000 Volunteers of All Nations

PARIS, Aug. 21, 2:50 p. m.—The great square, fronting the Invalides in Paris presented a striking spectacle today when 18,000 of the general volunteers assembled in orderly formation under the flags of their various nations to be mustered in. There were 4500 Jews from all countries who desired to serve as a separate command; there were also 3000 Belgians; 4500 Italians; 2600 Russians; 2000 Swiss; 1000 Spaniards; 600 Roumanians, 355 Luxembourgers and 125 Americans. All these volunteers were obliged to wait until the completion of the mobilization of the French regular forces, which was accomplished yesterday. In the meantime 80,000 foreigners resident in France have inscribed their names provisionally on the rolls of a committee calling itself the "Friends of France."

## MAYOR OF BRUSSELS ASKS PEOPLE TO REMAIN CALM

By Associated Press. LONDON, Aug. 21.—The following proclamation by the mayor of Brussels is contained in a dispatch to the Daily Mail from its Ostend correspondent:

"Despite the heroic resistance of our troops, aided by the allied armies, it is to be feared that the enemy may occupy Brussels. In the event of such an occurrence I rely upon the population to remain calm and avoid all panic."

"The laws of war forbid the enemy obtaining by force information relating to the national defense. The inhabitants of Brussels have the right to refuse all such information. As long as I live or am a free agent I shall endeavor to protect the rights and dignity of my fellow citizens."

"I pray you to render my task less difficult by abstaining from all hostile acts."

cargoes during war in Europe was before Congress for action today. Commerce committees of the Senate and House had voted favorable reports on the project, and it was planned to hurry the measure to supplement the new law authorizing American registration for foreign built ships.

Plans for the purchase and operation of a fleet of merchantmen by the government while ships of other nations are tied up by war, were being written into a bill today for early submission to Congress. Some opposition to the enterprise has been heard in the House, but it was said that if it were discovered that emergency legislation already passed and pending would not provide transportation for American crops congressional authority for establishment of the fleet would not be delayed. The Senate merchant marine committee, it was said, would proceed with the bill without waiting for action in the House.

### 2000 AMERICANS HOME.

NEW YORK, Aug. 21.—Two thousand Americans and who were in Europe when war began returned home by way of this port yesterday. The French liner France brought nearly 1400 from Havre, and the Siamphalia of the La Velos line, 633 from Italy.

### Five German Seamen Desert; 19 Seized

NEW YORK, Aug. 21.—The United Fruit liner Almirante (British) put into New York today from Colon and Kingston without 24 members of the crew. They were Germans. Five of them deserted at Colon on the way down and returning nineteen others were seized by the British authorities at Kingston.

### MAY LOSE AN EYE.

Manuel Souza, a teamster, 72, 23 Eight street, sustained possibly permanent injuries to his left eye last night when he ran into a guy wire in a vacant lot at the emergency hospital. Jacob Orell, 70 years of age, 240 Fourth street, fell from a building at 51st and 52nd streets and sustained injuries which caused him to be taken to the hospital. His temporal artery was severed.

## OAKLAND GOODS TO GO TO JAPAN

### Supplies for Government May Be Under Cruiser's Convoy.

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that if the Idzumo was ordered to Japan arrangements could be immediately made to send the two ships together. R. Asano, an official of the steamship company, admitted in San Francisco today that he is hoping to arrange the convoy.

TO SAIL ON MONDAY.

matter very seriously," he said. "It would be possible for the Idzumo to sail in company with the Shinyo Maru. It would be very gratifying to us. I do not know whether we will be successful in making the arrangements. The Shinyo Maru is to sail on Monday. That has been definitely decided. She is loading her supplies now and I see no reason why she cannot get away on time. I do not know what the Idzumo's orders will be, but I am hoping that she will be directed to return to Japan."

NO NEUTRALITY LIMIT. It is believed that some supplies of this nature will be taken on by the Idzumo, which is not limited in any way by the neutrality laws, as at the present time Japan is not a belligerent power. The supplies, if they were placed on board the cruiser, would be sufficient only for her own use in the event that war should be declared while she was on the Pacific.

On account of closing the ports of Europe during the war, the C. A. Smith Timber Company of Oakland has made contracts with a number of the great paper mills of Japan to furnish them with wood pulp. The announcement was made through the Chamber of Commerce today.

The company has a process and machinery by which they extract the pitch from pine timber and make it into fine wood pulp. Heretofore the Asiatic market for this product has been closed to them. The Japanese mills have gotten their supply of pulp from Finland. When the ports of Finland were closed to the Japanese their wood pulp supply was cut off. Taking advantage of this opportunity the timber company opened negotiations with the rest of the Japanese exportation of this product is to be made.

## ASSOCIATION IS WRECKED BY WAR

NEW YORK, Aug. 21.—That the war had demoralized the world's Christian Association with headquarters in Geneva, was the information contained in advices today to the International Young Men's Christian Association in this city. Three of the leaders, heretofore working together in the association work, have left the headquarters to fight for their respective countries.

Secretary Farnham has been ordered to take command of a Swiss regiment. Secretary Sauter has left his desk to fight for France and Secretary Chidius is in the German army.

Young Men's Christian Associations in Canada have sent two of their most experienced army workers with Canadian troops. Twenty other military secretaries are ready to go, according to information received here, and the Canadian association will send as many men as the Government will permit.

Salvation Army headquarters in this city learned yesterday that General Bramwell Roeth ordered the Portsmouth and other army shelters in England to the government and that they were accepted. Salvation Army men are enlisting in the British service and women are going to the front as nurses.

## TROOPS CHARGED WITH KILLING WOUNDED MEN

By Associated Press. LONDON, Aug. 21.—Telegraphing from Paris, Reuter's correspondent sends the following:

"The French government is addressing a note to the powers signatory to The Hague convention of October, 1907, pointing out that the German military authorities have violated the articles of the convention in that on the 10th of August this year, according to a communication from the general in command of the eastern forces, German troops dispatched a number of wounded by firing shots in their faces and the

were deliberately made worse by being torn open."

The correspondent adds that the note says further: "Also on the same date Bavarian foot soldiers in the Montigny and Montreux districts systematically fired villages through which they passed, without the slightest provocation, and villages were forced to precede the German troops on the march."

"On August 11 German troops burned villages, massacred their inhabitants and drove before them men and children to the battlefield; and on other occasions they murdered prisoners and shot the wounded."

"The French government will leave to the earnest consideration of the powers such reprehensible acts and criminal deeds that have never before

## REFUGEES FILL BRUSSELS FROM SURROUNDING TOWNS

By Associated Press.

LONDON, Aug. 21.—"Brussels is filled with refugees from surrounding towns, despite the large numbers who left the city for Ghent and Ostend during the past few days," says the Daily Chronicle's Ghent correspondent.

"The plight of most of the refugees is pitiable," the correspondent adds, "many are camped in the public squares whose homes in the suburbs have been fired by the Prussians. The roads leading into Brussels have been crowded all day with all manner of conveyances, many drawn by dogs and others by girls, women and aged peasants. Most of these people have lost everything. Few of them have any money. The peasant is considered lucky who succeeded in saving a single horse or a cow. Most of them tell of German barbarities but it is evident that

a majority of these tales are exaggerated."

"Military men characterize the German force which is moving across Belgium as overwhelming, saying it consists of at least two or three army corps. The advance of this huge force is covered over the entire thirty-mile front by a screen of cavalry. The Germans had no difficulty in taking Louvain, which was virtually undefended."

"In the high wooded country between Louvain and Brussels the Germans found an excellent defensive position. Having occupied Louvain the Germans pushed forward with great celerity, the cavalry opening out in fan-shaped formation, spreading across country."

"At one point they ran into a strong force of Belgian artillery which punished them severely. Later in the day a Belgian scouting force reached Louvain and found it unoccupied but received orders to fall back because of the danger of being outflanked and annihilated."

## WITNESS DESCRIBES FIGHT AT TIREMONT AND LOUVAIN

LONDON, Aug. 21.—The fighting at Tiremont and Louvain is described by the Ostend correspondent of the Express, who says he witnessed it from a church tower at Tiremont first and later proceeded to Louvain. He says:

"Until lunch time on Tuesday Tiremont was quiet and normal. Suddenly about 1 o'clock came the sound of the first German guns. The artillery had opened fire."

"From the church tower it was possible to see distinctly the position of the German guns and the bursting of their shells. The Belgians replied from their position east of Louvain. It was a striking sight to the accompaniment of the ceaseless thud, thud of bursting shells with their puffs of cotton-like smoke, tearing up the peaceful wheat fields not far away."

### POPULACE FLEES FLINDLY.

"Gradually working nearer, the shells began to strike the houses in Tiremont. This was a signal for the populace, which heretofore had been calm, that the Belgian artillery would protect them, to fly blindly and unreasonably. All they knew was that the Germans were coming. From the tower the scene was like the rushing of rats from a disturbed nest. The people fled in every

direction except east. "I moved down to Louvain, where everything seemed quiet and peaceful. The people sat in the cafes drinking their evening beer and smoking. Meanwhile the Belgian troops were retiring in good order toward Louvain."

"By midnight the town was in the throes of a panic. Long before midnight throngs of refugees had begun to arrive, followed by soldiers. By 11 o'clock the Belgian rear guard was engaging the enemy at the railroad bridge at the entrance of the town."

### SEIZE RIDERLESS HORSES.

"The firing was heavy. The wounded began to come in. Riderless horses came along, both German and Belgian. These were caught and mounted by civilians glad to have so rapid a mode of transport. "I remember watching a black and white Belgian woman running straight down the middle of the road away from the Germans. Behind her came the retreating Belgian troops, disheveled but valiant. The woman, clad in mourning, was the symbol of the Belgian populace."

"At some of the barriers along the route the refugees and soldiers arrived simultaneously, making the defense difficult. All about Tiremont and Louvain the refugees continually interfered with the work of the troops. The road to Brussels always crowded with refugees."

## FIRE ON FRENCH FROM HOUSES HAVING RED CROSS PROTECTION

By Associated Press. LONDON, Aug. 21.—A dispatch to the Havas agency from Belfort by way of Paris says:

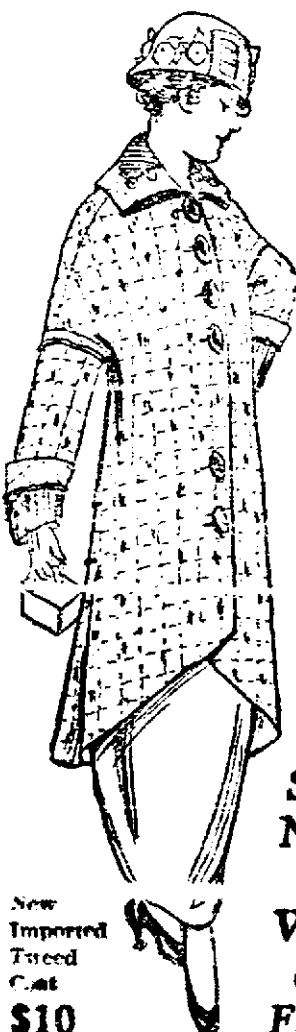
"The battles around Muelhausen have been particularly bloody for the Germans, who knowing the French would spare as much as possible the Alsacians and their property, hid themselves in houses protected by the Red Cross, whence they fired on the French."

and artillery fire on their assailants, causing a veritable carnage. Every German leaving these houses was shot down."

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# GUARDING CRUISER

## POLICE BOAT WATCHES JAPANESE VESSEL ON WATERFRONT OF S. F.

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 21.—In order that there might be no chance for trouble from unforeseen sources while the Japanese warship Idzumo was being overhauled at Hunter's Point dry dock, Chief of Police White, at a late hour last night, ordered the police boat to patrol the bay in front of the dock. Orders were issued to Patrolman Hugh M. Connor, in charge of the boat, to prevent all craft from approaching from the water side to make absolutely sure of the identity of any persons who might seek to board the cruiser.

The chief took this precaution by reason of rumors which reached him. He feared that in view of the exposure of the Idzumo, the Japanese might repitiously send coal to the German cruiser Leipzig from this port, something might be done in the way of a hostile move by reason of Japan's present ultimatum to Germany.

Simultaneously with the order for the guard on the bay patrolmen were detailed from the Potrero station to watch the land approaches to the dry dock. No persons were allowed to pass in the direction of the dock on which the huge warship rested unless he satisfied the police as to his business and his identity.

It is expected that Idzumo will be able to leave the dry dock today. The guard will be maintained through the day there.

### KEEP WATCH OVER MAZATLAN.

The United States torpedo destroyer Preble took a station today west of Alacran Island, commanding the inner entrance to the Golden Gate. Until further notice her mission will be to see that the tramp steamer Mazatlan, now under the Mexican flag but owned by the German shipping firm of Frederick Jensen & Co., does not put to sea with 500 tons of sacked coal, which she still has on board. The Mazatlan made informal application for clearance papers yesterday and was refused. Evidence taken before Collector Davis showed that the coal was the property of the Government and had been loaded aboard the Mazatlan by direction of Dr. Simon Reimer, surgeon of the German cruiser Leipzig, en route to the Leipzig at sea. Today the Mazatlan again applied for clearance papers, this time on verbal assurance that the ownership of the coal had changed hands.

It is now supposed to be the property of F. G. Braue, said to be a Mexican commission merchant and ostensibly is consigned to Guaymas, Mexico, which is a regular port of call for the Mazatlan. No proof of these alleged facts has been submitted, however, and clearance will be refused until the proof is forthcoming.

In the meantime the Mazatlan is at anchor in the stream, under the guns of the Preble.

**MOANA RACES NORTH.**  
The Royal Mail steamer Moana is today racing northwest from the coast of California, bound for Sidney and way ports and hoping to give a wide berth to the German warship Leipzig, hovering down the south coast.

Cuzco of a four funnel warship being less than 100 miles south of the Golden Gate at 7 a. m. yesterday. If the German captain swung out westward he would be in position to intercept the Moana, a rich prize.

Captain Stringer of the latter vessel, although declaring he could race away from the cruiser, took every precaution in departing.

Waiting till near midnight, after nearly two days' hold up inside the Golden Gate, he stoic out to sea in the fog last night and, instead of heading southwest on the usual route, took the north passage.

### CHANCE OF CAPTURE.

Besides the known peril of the Leipzig, the Moana must run chances of capture by the Nürnberg, which may be lurking off the Farallones.

The peculiar course of the owner of the Mexican steamer Mazatlan, whose 500 tons of sacked coal led to the ship's detention by Collector of Customs Davis, lent probability to the theory that the Nürnberg is in these waters. Davis is convinced that this coal was intended for a German war vessel, and the Leipzig has just left this port with full bunkers.

The French cruiser Montcalm is another war vessel whose whereabouts is puzzling, and if attacked by the Nürnberg off the Farallones, the Moana may have the sudden assistance of the Frenchman.

Four other British vessels ventured to sea yesterday, but all will hug the coast for British Columbia ports. They are the Cape Finisterre, for Aberdeen; the Trinquel, for Vancouver; the Stratcliffe, for Nanaimo, and the Elsinore, for Vancouver.

## Over One Million Bushels of Wheat on Way to Europe

WASHINGTON, Aug. 21.—More than one million bushels of American wheat are on the way to Switzerland in British bottoms, the shipment of three cargoes having been arranged by Dr. Charles Paul Hubscher, charge of the legation here. Arrangements have been made to allow the passage through France and Italy of foodstuffs intended for Switzerland.

**NEW YORK, Aug. 21.**—If the American wheat bought by Switzerland reaches its destination safely, the Swiss government, it was learned today, probably will purchase all its coal and other supplies in the United States during the hostilities in Europe. Dr. Ritter, the Swiss minister, who came to New York from Washington at the outbreak of the war, announced that the proposal has been received here.

At the Swiss legation here today, to arrange an appeal to Swiss-born residents of the United States, numbering about 150,000, to contribute to the general Red Cross fund of Switzerland. The Swiss government practically has offered to turn the country into one great hospital to care for the wounded of Europe, regardless of their nationality. As yet no notice of the attitude of the European governments toward the proposal has been received here.

## JAPAN PREPARING FOR EVENTUALITIES

TOKIO, Aug. 21.—Japan is quietly preparing for eventualities, following the expiration next Sunday of her ultimatum to Germany, demanding the withdrawal of German warships from the Orient and the evacuation of Kiaochow.

The strictest prohibition has been placed on the publication of any information concerning the movements of Japanese ships and troops. All correspondence is censored and the newspapers are closely watched.

The activities at the German embassy, where personal effects are being packed for shipment, are the only indication of what the answer of Germany will be. Meanwhile, the Japanese are busy with sensational reports of the treatment of Japan in Germany, there is no evidence of anti-German feeling here. On the contrary, the authorities have given notice that all Germans remaining in Japan must be treated courteously. German professors are expected to return at their posts unless they are needed for service at home.

The war and navy departments are preparing for a move on Kiaochow there, contrary to current reports, the fortifications are really formidable. Since the outbreak of the European war thousands of Chinese coolies have been employed in strengthening these defenses. It is believed here that the taking of Kiaochow will not be an easy task.

### DENY ULTIMOR MOTIVES.

The Japanese newspapers and leading Japanese express surprise at the tone of the American press in suggesting ultimor motives to Japan in sending an ultimatum to Germany. They state that this action was taken only after weeks of conversations with Great Britain and was at the request of and with the approval of Japan's ally.

Frederick Okuma, foreign minister, has made repeated and categorical denials that Japan has designs on Samoa and the Philippines or any other territory.

Baron Elchi Shibusawa, president of the Japanese Association and Busi Nakano, vice president of the same organization, and president of the Tokyo Chamber of Commerce, are heading a movement intended to reassure China of Japan's pacific intentions. M. Nakano will leave for China soon, it is announced.

### JAPAN ISSUES STATEMENT.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 21.—Interference by German cruisers with the shipping of Japan's ally, Great Britain, with the seizure of Japanese goods in German bottoms and the consequent grave dislocation of Japanese trade are the principal reasons for sending the ultimatum to Germany last Sunday. Cable dispatches have contained a brief outline of the Japanese grievances, but it was not until today that the full text of the statement issued by the Japanese foreign office became available.

"From the beginning of hostilities between England and Germany, the latter has been bending all her energies to strengthening all her fortifications at Kiaochow, even to the extent of enrolling labor upon them by the Chinese coolies. Meanwhile, the German squadrons stationed in the Far East have been making incessant appearances in China waters, making Kiaochow their base and in co-operation with German-converted cruisers, threatening and interfering with British shipping and commerce, thereby jeopardizing and injuring to a considerable extent the commercial interests in general of Great Britain."

### CLAIM TRADE DEMORALIZATION.

"In the meantime, the above action on the part of Germany has not failed to greatly demoralize the trade interests of Japan by obstructing and disturbing her shipping routes and commerce. In fact, the whole Eastern commercial world has been thrown into a state of utter uneasiness. Some of the Japanese merchant vessels have been detained and all of the Japanese import and export cargoes on board the German merchant vessels have been requisitioned."

"It is clear that unless Germany has a strong base at Kiaochow, the conditions, such as above outlined, could never have been maintained. It is this possession of Kiaochow that is solely responsible for all; it is the strongest weapon in the hands of Germany so far as the Far East is concerned."

"The history of the seizure of the place by Germany and her conduct preceding and after her intervention, in conjunction with Russia and France after the China-Japanese war, show that it is absolutely necessary to eliminate such possession completely if Japan is to restore immediately complete peace in the Far East in accordance with the terms of the peace treaty."

"If Japan is to look far enough into the future and provide means strong enough to insure abiding peace in Eastern Asia, she must realize that a strong military base in the hands of a hostile power, right in the heart of the country, cannot in itself fail to be a menacing power."

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## BOMBARDMENT OF LIBAU DESCRIBED

German Rain of Fire Causes Houses to Fall and Burn; Many Killed.

STOCKHOLM, via London, Aug. 21.—The captain of a Swedish steamer which has just arrived from Libau tells the following story of the bombardment of the Russian seaport by the German fleet: "It was on a Sunday evening that the rain of fire began to fall on the city. The townspeople were thrown into a panic. They ran into the streets and other open places because their houses were falling and burning. "Fifteen women who were seated on a pile of lumber were all killed by the explosion of a single shell. The bombardment continued for two hours. Many buildings and bridges were destroyed. "A divice from St. Petersburg indicates that life in the Russian capital runs on in the ordinary way. The streets, cafes, and amusement places are crowded as ever. No additional military precautions have been taken, it is said. The food supply is described as plentiful."

**HARBOR DESTROYED.**  
The destruction of the harbor works of Libau, Finland, by German warships, is reported by the master of the Swedish steamer Blifrost, which has arrived from Libau. "We received orders from the port authorities at Libau on August 2 to move with the Dutch coal steamer Alcy across the channel," he said. "Later the authorities permitted us to anchor outside in security, but the Alcy was blown up according to the program, together with three valuable cranes. Grand Luke Michael, the younger brother of the Russian Emperor, has left for St. Petersburg. Steamship freight traffic between Finland and Sweden has been resumed."

## CRITICISES GERMAN FIGHTING.

LONDON, Aug. 21.—A St. Petersburg despatch to the Daily Mail says the Novoye Vremya publishes an account of the fighting at Edytukhnen, East Prussia, by an eye witness, who says: "The fighting here seemed to prove that the German army's military qualities did not justify its reputation. The men in the skirmish lines huddled together, making excellent targets for our fire."

"The German cavalry avoided ours, retreating when the Russian advanced for the charge. The German infantry likewise retired before our bayonet charges."

The Novoye Vremya comments on Japan's ultimatum as follows: "The enemies of our enemies are our friends. The cry of the yellow peril is not justified. The yellow race, even as the white race, rises against Germany's violence."

The Times' St. Petersburg correspondent, reviewing the recent fighting on the Russian frontier, says: "If the Austrians decide to take the offensive it would be difficult to menace the Russian left flank, unless, like the Germans, they decide to violate the neutrality of a small state—Romania. The position on the right invites the theory that the Germans are planning to use the railways of that country as a base for troops in the Baltic provinces."

**POLICE CONFIRM MURDER.**  
SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 21.—A telegram received by Chief White this morning from "Chief of Police J. J. Reagan, of Lexington, Ky., confirms the fact that Walter Tolliver, alias Ed Stewart, arrested here yesterday, is wanted there for murder. An officer has been dispatched to take him East. William Williams, the man who pointed out Tolliver to Detective Har-

shall, was a resident of the town and will be sent East to testify. His reward for turning over the accused man to the authorities is said to be a desire to collect a reward of \$5000 offered for the apprehension of Tolliver by the family of Gene Morris, the man who was slain."

## SUMMARY OF WAR SITUATION TODAY

"The most formidable shock in history" will occur on Belgian soil, according to French military experts, when the great armies of Germans and Austrians on the one side and the allied troops of Belgium, France and Britain on the other come into close contact.

No definite information as to the place where the decisive encounter is to occur is permitted to pass the censor.

Japan is making active preparations in view of the approaching expiration on Sunday of the time limit of her ultimatum to Germany. It is expected she will at once move on Kiaochow, the German protectorate in China.

A final call to the army, affecting all able-bodied men from 20 to 45 years old, has been issued by the Austrian government.

An Anglo-American rough riders corps has been formed in Paris and its services have been accepted by the French ministry of war.

British and French warships bombarded and greatly damaged Cattaro, an Austrian seaport, on Wednesday.

Libau, the Russian Baltic seaport, was badly damaged during its two-day bombardment by a German fleet, according to the captain of a Swedish steamer. The inhabitants were panic-stricken.

German warships are reported to have destroyed the harbor works at Hango, Finland.

Not a shot was fired by the Belgians when entry into Brussels was demanded yesterday by a German force of 10,000 men. After the departure of the German troops from the capital, communication was cut off between that city and other parts of Belgium and abroad. The temporary capital of the country, Antwerp, whether the Belgians have retired, is understood to be strongly fortified and military correspondents declare the preparations for its defense extend over an enormous area, while it has been so fortified for a long time.

## FLEETS BOMBARD AUSTRIAN FORT

English and French Warships Fire on Fortifications at Cattaro.

By Associated Press.

LONDON, Aug. 21.—A despatch to the Exchange Telegraph Company from Cetina under yesterday's date says that an English fleet, supported by French warships in conjunction with Montenegrin batteries on Mount Lovcen on Wednesday bombarded the Austrian fortifications at Cattaro, greatly damaging them. The correspondent adds that in an engagement between Montenegrin and Austrian forces in Bosnia the latter suffered 200 casualties.

The British war information bureau has not confirmed these reports. The Sublime Porte has sent a warning to representatives of shipping companies that merchant vessels passing through the Dardanelles must dismantle their wireless installations and leave the apparatus behind them on shore.

**"SPEED COPS" ACTIVE.**  
Automobile speeders were again taken in the vicinity of Hawthorne and Broadway by Officers Nightingale, Sherman and Gunter. The arrested were: W. Cavalier, a surveyor; Shuman Crawford, chemist, and Frederick A. Lion, a druggist.

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## AEROPLANE PLAYS GREAT WAR ROLE

Pegoud Returns to Paris for a New Flyer; Old Machine Well Riddled.

By Associated Press.

LONDON, Aug. 21.—Adolphe Pegoud, a noted French aviator, has returned to Paris from the war zone to get a new aeroplane. According to a Paris dispatch to the Exchange Telegraph Company, the wings of Pegoud's old machine were riddled by 37 bullets and two shells, when he made, with a military observer, a flight of 300 kilometers (186 miles) into German territory.

Pegoud could not say just where he had been except that he crossed the Rhine and blew up by means of bombs two German convoys.

Captain Klink, a military aviator, Pegoud said, had destroyed a hangar near Metz and wrecked a Zeppelin which destroyed three tube aeroplanes which were in the hangar. Aeroplanes now are playing the part in war which formerly only carrier pigeons could perform, and seem to have greater possibilities than pigeons.

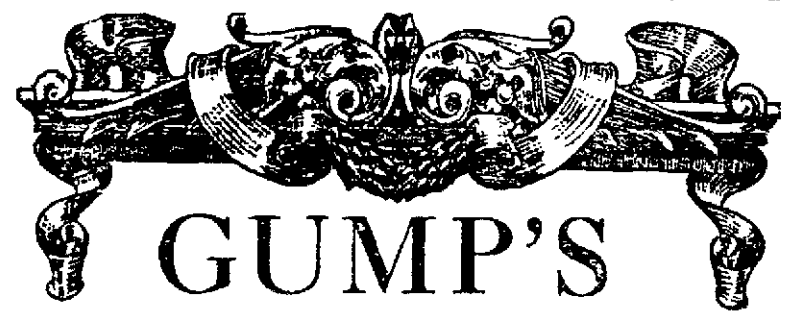
An official notification issued tonight to the people of England requests them to be watchful for messages dropped from aeroplanes, describes the peculiar wrappings which will enclose messages and instructs the finders to forward them immediately to the addresses they bear.

French aeroplanes scattered messages to the inhabitants of Alsace in the early days of the war and the Russians adopted the same method for announcing the proclamation of Emperor Nicholas to the Poles.

### Women's Peace Parade Sanctioned by Wilson

NEW YORK, Aug. 21.—President Wilson gave his approval yesterday to the plans for the women's peace parade to be held in this city on August 23.

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## FACTS FLOUT CLAIMS OF ALLEGED NEWS 'BEAT' Associated Press Nails as False Claims of Rival Organization

NEW YORK, Aug. 21.—On Wednesday afternoon about 2:30 o'clock the United Press Association sent out a formal announcement of the death of Pope Leo XIII. The Associated Press sent out no such telegram at that hour, nor for several hours thereafter.

Claim was made that the United Press had scored an important news beat. This claim was challenged with the statement that at 2:30 New York time (8:30 p. m. Roman time) the Pope was still alive and that he actually died at 1:29 on the following morning.

To this the United Press made answer that while the Vatican may have officially announced 1:29 as the time of death, it actually occurred much earlier and that such a practice was not unusual.

It was said that when Leo XIII died there was a long interval between the actual death and the official announcement. While this is true, it is equally true that at no time was the hour of death of Pope Leo XIII (4:54 p. m.) ever misstated, officially or unofficially.

Further, it was said that the United Press correspondent at Rome, in the case of Pope X, had sent two code messages, one reaching New York at 2:26 p. m., New York time, and the other at 3:55 p. m., New York time, and it was still maintained that these were accurate and that the Pope's death actually occurred about that hour.

POPE WAS STILL ALIVE. There have been some new and interesting developments:

At 1 o'clock yesterday morning Monsignor Bonzano, the papal legate to this country, received a dispatch from Cardinal Merry del Val, the papal secretary of state, dated August 20, at 11:18 Wednesday night, which was 4:18 p. m., New York time, or one hour and fifty-two minutes after the United Press circulated the announcement of death, showing that the Pope was still alive, as follows:

"Holy father, dangerously ill; he may die at any moment."

IT IS WELL ENOUGH TO PERMIT THE ISSUE OF VERACITY BETWEEN THE VATICAN AND THE UNITED PRESS TO STAND.

Ambassador Page at Rome telegraphed the state department in Washington that the Pope died about 1 o'clock yesterday morning.

The Agency Havas of France, in its latest dispatch from Rome, gave the hour of death as 1:29 a. m.

The Reuter Telegram Agency of London, in another independent message, fixed the same hour.

The Central News Agency of London, in another message, gave the hour as 1:35 a. m.

CONCERNING CODE. As to the claim that the United Press message was sent in code, the following correspondence is illuminating:

"The general manager of the Associated Press sent to the offices of the only three newspapers by which a dispatch from

Rome could be transmitted a note as follows:

"My understanding is that during this war period news messages cannot be sent between any part of Europe and the United States in code. Am I right? An answer will oblige."

To this were returned the following answers:

"Mr. Stone: Yes, for the reason that messages cannot be sent to the United States without passing through the belligerents' territory, and the belligerents have prohibited code." (Signed)

"GEORGE CLAPPERTON, Traffic Manager, Commercial Cable Company."

CABLE MANAGER REPLIES. "Mr. Stone: Your understanding, unfortunately, is only too correct. There is no route between any part of Europe and the United States over which any kind of messages prepared in code can be sent." (Signed)

"J. C. WILLEVER, Manager, Cable Department, Western Union Telegraph Company."

"Dear Mr. Stone: You are quite right. All codes outside of government messages are prohibited." (Signed)

"E. C. SWEENEY, Manager of French Cable Company."

END QUEEN'S LIFE PREMATURELY.

This business of announcing the death of a distinguished person before it actually occurs is not new with the United Press people. Queen Victoria died on January 22, 1901, at 6:30 p. m., London time (1:34 p. m., New York time). Before that hour a dispatch from the United Press announcing the Queen's death was printed. When the charge was made that this was a reckless guess or bold anticipation, since the message was sent before the Queen had breathed her last, the answer was made that a code word "Bergerac" had been used and that it meant "Dead."

The claim was also set up that while the official announcement fixed the time of the Queen's death at 6:30 p. m., it actually occurred more than an hour earlier and that a message to that effect was sent from Osborne house at 5:35 p. m. to the Archbishop of Canterbury.

OTHER FRAUDS NAILED. An investigation resulted in an autograph letter from the archbishop to the general manager of the Associated Press assuring him that he had sent no such message. So far as he knew or so far as any one else knew, or believed, the hour of death officially given out, namely, 6:30 p. m., was correct. Very soon this was shown to be the fact.

On September 18, 1911, also, after M. Stolypin, former Russian premier, had been wounded at Kiev, Russia, and had lingered for some time and was nearing his end, the United Press announced his death some time before it actually occurred.

LEO STONE, General Manager of the Associated Press.

## PROBATION OF 8 YEARS FOR WRIGHT

U. C. Cashier May Rehabilitate Himself, Asserts Judge Ogden.

Giving vent to feelings which she had sought to smother during fifteen tense minutes in the Superior Court this morning, Mrs. Harry L. Wright collapsed in her husband's arms immediately after Judge Ogden released him from custody and placed him on probation for a term of eight years.

Wright had pleaded guilty to embezzling funds from the University of California, in the cashier's office. Assistant Probation Officer L. D. Compton reported in favor of granting probation.

Judge Ogden, in passing judgment, declared that he could readily understand that there were mitigating circumstances.

"Society is best served, so far as you are concerned, in your rehabilitation," said Judge Ogden to the defendant. "Society should protect its members. I do not want to create any further crime."

Wright had been in the position of the defendant held out in which he handled so great sums of money. The temptation in his case was extraordinary, no doubt.

ANOTHER VIEW. President Benjamin H. Wheeler of the university was that the defendant "did a great wrong, and did it cold-bloodedly."

Probation Officer Compton, in his report of the case, pointed out that Wright had for many years received but \$15 per month, which was later raised to \$33.33 and recently to \$100. His average expenses during the last few years have been \$12 per month. The extra money was taken from the university funds through a system of holding out the coin and delaying the entry of receipts and deposit slips. In all, Wright embezzled \$14,500. His bondsmen made good the amount in the sum of \$10,000, and Wright turned over his property, most of it heavily mortgaged, to help square his accounts.

"Reasoning backward," said Probation Officer Compton, "and recalling that Wright with a small salary was unreasonably exposed to temptation, there seems but one way out and that is to recommend probation."

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## JAPANESE FUGITIVE KODANI ESCAPES Mystery at Carmel Deepening

CARMEL, Aug. 21.—That George Kodani, Japanese artist, sought in connection with the mysterious disappearance of Helena Smith, Carmel artist, may be in hiding in the old Tabasco Vaseque cave in Point Lobos, where the historic outlaw of early California once hid from his pursuers, is the theory of the posers now seeking his whereabouts, following news of mysterious signs seen in the place and believed to be signals to the friends among the Japanese abalone fishers at the Point. Lights were seen last night flashing from a boat and from the cave. Preparations are being made to enter the cave tonight.

CARMEL, Aug. 21.—Although searching parties have combed every foot of brush on Point Lobos, and have dragged every cave and bay, no trace has been found either of Miss Helena Smith, missing artist, or George Kodani, Japanese photographer, sought by the sheriff's office in connection with the case, and the mystery has deepened as the officials and detectives have admitted themselves more and more at sea.

It was stated yesterday that the Japanese had been cornered on the Point and that the sheriff's men were closing in on him. He escaped, however, and has slipped completely from the clutches of his searchers, and no clue has been found in his supposed hiding-place to lead the hunters upon a fresh scent.

Ruel Smith, brother of the missing girl, and a New York newspaper man, is expected to arrive tonight and will direct the hunt for his sister. Carmel in the meantime is agog with excitement, and detectives have overrun the town.

Kodani, the Japanese artist who had been seen talking with Miss Smith, was arrested a day after her disappearance, but gave such a satisfactory account of his doings the previous day that he was released by the police. Since then all efforts to find him have been futile.

HAD PRIVATE INCOME. Miss Smith lived in Carmel about two years, having come to California from Japan. She was a very attractive woman, and a great deal of work that commanded fair prices.

Possessed of private income from property she owned in the East, she decided to settle down in Carmel soon after her arrival there. She added a studio to a small bungalow she acquired among the pines through which the town straggles and soon became a familiar figure among the colony of artists. She became a member of the Carmel Arts and Crafts and exhibited at its annual exhibition. She also showed work at the Sketch Club of San Francisco.

Miss Smith returned to Carmel only a day before her disappearance. To her nearest neighbor she spoke about her pleasure in returning to take up her work.

ARDENT LOVE LETTERS. Ardent love letters and romantic verse, written by the Japanese to several women, have been found in Carmel, and show him to have been on intimate terms with a number of white women. Most of them are addressed to "Zella," "Blanche" and "Annie." One, evidently to "Blanche," asks if she will "give me a kiss when we're alone."

The letters are mostly in cultured English, and show the Japanese to be something of a poet as well as an artist, and a leader in his mystic cult.

A bit of verse, written to one of the women, was as follows:

Kiss me, sweetheart, the spring is here, And love is full of you and me. Within my breast there is no light but the cold light of stars—I do wonder everywhere.

The blue sky laughs out sweet and clear, The thrush stands upon the tree, I wandered through the pine forest That skirts the ocean shore, The whispering waves were asleep—The clouds gone to pass.

All is silent in the garden, Through the golden glamour Only bees about the lilacs Hum a soft and drowsy tune.

WROTE FROM OAKLAND. His letter to "Zella," in which he pleads for "a kiss," reads as follows:

Dear Zella, after your letter I am here again. I wished to stop and see you, to hear the news, but there was too many people at the station.

I promise to call on you last Sunday, but inevitable circumstances prevented me from keeping my appointment. I wrote you a letter from Oakland.

I am so homesick and feel as though I had forgotten something all day long. When the cool nights have awakened me from dreaming, oh, how I long for you. When I was out in the motor boat how I wished to have you with me. I was out boating last Sunday when Blanche called on the phone.

"When you see me when I am alone would you give me a kiss?" "I am sorry about Vick. Will she be Zella. It must be my heart is too weak. When darkness comes I feel as though I would like to jump out somewhere, try to forget, but it is hard. The joyful spring is in my heart."

VICK AND BABE. Another to "Blanche" reads: "Dear R.: I try to write you, but it is so short. I must finish some of the

The "Old Chemist" says "If you would avoid Summer Duffy's Pure Malt Whiskey"

In table-spoon doses in equal amounts of water or milk before meals and on retiring. It will protect you against disease germs lurking everywhere. "Get Duffy's and Keep Well"

At most drug stores, 31.00 a large bottle. Valuable medical booklet and doctor's advice sent free if you write. The Duffy Malt Whiskey Co., Rochester, N.Y.



## CHARGED WITH VIOLATION OF STATE LABOR LAW

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 21.—Accused of withholding 90 cents a day from the salaries of foreign laborers employed by him, Michael Pandel, a sub-contractor doing some work on the Stockton street tunnel, was arrested at noon today and booked for violating section 653D of the State labor law. According to information in the hands of Deputy Labor Commissioner George M. Pandel was arrested at San Francisco without setting claims to the amount of \$2500 held by his employees at the time he was apprehended.

The specific charge against him, was given to him by Thomas Morris, two employees who complained to the labor bureau about the withholding of a portion of the wages of some 50 men.

When Morris learned his investigations had revealed information that Pandel was preparing to leave town and for that reason his arrest was ordered before the tunnel was given to the contractor.

Pandel was given a contract by Roland & Co. who are putting through the construction work for the city. He has been employed for nearly a year and has been paid for his work. He is a considerable sum besides the \$2500 which is alleged is now owing for wages.

FRUITVALE R. R. MAN DIES IN NEW MEXICO. FRUITVALE, Aug. 21.—Vincent Caldwell, son of Dr. and Mrs. E. K. Caldwell, of 1603 Fruitvale avenue, died in Albuquerque, New Mexico, Monday afternoon, after a short illness. The young man, who was in the employ of the Santa Fe railroad, contracted typhoid fever and was taken to the railroad hospital at Albuquerque. His father was summoned and was at his son's bedside at the time of his death. Vincent, who was 25 years of age, was well known here. He was born and raised in Fruitvale, Cal.

The remains arrived here last night and the funeral will be held tomorrow morning. Rev. R. M. McElroy will officiate at the service. Interment will be at the Evergreen cemetery.

DISTRIBUTE 25,000 TROUT. MONTAGUE, Aug. 21.—Twenty-five thousand young trout were brought here from Sisson and planted in the Little Shasta, sixteen miles above Montague. They were distributed by William Prather, H. H. Hudson and Charles Schock Sr., accompanied by W. A. Simon.

GRAND CIRCUS POSTPONED. PITTSBURGH, Aug. 21.—The Grand Circuit races were postponed today on account of rain.

What is Castoria

CASTORIA is a harmless substitute for Castor Oil, Paregoric, Drops and Soothing Syrups. It is pleasant. It contains neither Opium, Morphine nor other Narcotic substance. Its age is its guarantee. It destroys Worms and allays Feverishness. For more than thirty years it has been in constant use for the relief of Constipation, Flatulency, Wind Colic, all Teething Troubles and Diarrhoea. It regulates the Stomach and Bowels, assimilates the Food, giving healthy and natural sleep. The Children's Panacea—The Mother's Friend.

The Kind You Have Always Bought, and which has been in use for over 30 years, has borne the signature of J. C. Fletcher, and has been made under his personal supervision since its infancy. Allow no one to deceive you in this. All Counterfeits, Imitations and "Just-as-good" are but experiments that trifle with and endanger the health of Infants and Children—Experience against Experiment.

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## NOW IS YOUR CHANCE

The \$20,000 stock of Ladies', Men's and Children's Shoes of the Dorman Shoe Store and Factory, 612 Broadway was slightly damaged by smoke and water, and I've been ordered by the adjusters to get the money for it, and I surely will

## At These Prices

\$2.50 Ladies' Shoes, patent leather and gun metal, now

**95c**

\$1.75 Boys' Lace and Button Shoes, now

**\$1.28**

50c Children's Felt Slippers, now

**24c**

\$3.00 Ladies' Patent Leather and Gun Metal Button, now

**\$2.23**

\$2.50 Old Ladies' Comforts, now

**\$1.85**

\$5.00 Men's High-grade Shoes—button or lace, now

**\$3.45**

\$4.00 Men's Shoes, now

**\$1.79**

\$3.50 Men's Hunting Shoes, now

**\$2.17**

\$3.50 Men's Oxfords, now

**89c**

**SHINOLA**

**2c**

\$2.50 Girls' and Misses' Shoes—now

**99c**

\$2.50 Ladies' Juliettes, now

**\$1.34**

25c can Dryfoot, now

**12c**

**C. G. COX**

IN CHARGE

**Dorman's Shoe Store and Factory**

612 Broadway

LOOK FOR THE RED SIGNS

50c Children's Tennis Shoes, now

**20c**

\$3.50 Ladies' French Heel Shoes, now

**25c**

\$3.00 Men's Patent Leather and Gun Metal Button or Lace, now

**\$2.39**

500 pairs Children's Button Shoes, 5 to 11½, now

**94c**

200 pairs Boys' Shoes, button or lace, now

**\$1.32**

\$4.00 Men's High-top Shoes, now

**\$1.39**

\$3.00 Men's Grain Brewery Boots, now

**\$4.85**

\$2.50 Boys' Shoes, now

**\$1.43**

\$2.50 Men's Leather Slippers, now

**84c**

Sale Starts 9. a. m. Tomorrow



# CARDINALS MAY END TRADITION

No Temporal Veto, and No Star Chamber in Next Conclave.

## Local Churches Will Hold Requiem Mass

Simultaneously with the burial services for Pope Pius X. in Rome, masses will be celebrated in this city, where solemn requiem masses will be said for the repose of his soul. Though no official notice has been received from Archbishop Riordan, the priests and the congregations are preparing for the masses. The little children of the parochial schools and the students in all the Catholic colleges will say prayers for the deceased, who was beloved by the young as well as the old folk.

Funeral services will be conducted by the Knights of Columbus, Ancient Order of Foresters and the Young Men's Institute. No definite date has been set for the observance nor have the programs been arranged. Within a few days the order of the ceremonies will be announced.

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of her brother. Shock caused by the Pontiff's end was given as the cause.

It appears today that this report was the result of a telegraphic error, which occurred in the transmission of a dispatch from Rome. The Pope's sister is alive, although suffering from shock. She was already indisposed when the Pontiff was taken ill and yesterday was obliged to take to her bed. She is under the care of Dr. Amici.

## GROUPS OF CARDINALS.

The greatest efforts are being made by the cardinals here to prevent the conclave's presenting a spectacle of schism among the sovereign cardinals in consequence of the war in Europe. If such a breach should occur it is expected the foreign cardinals would form groups as follows:

The seven from France, five from Spain, two each from England and Portugal and one each from Ireland, Belgium and Canada, form a total of nineteen.

The two Germans and six from Austria-Hungary make up another group of eight.

The neutral group is composed of the three Americans and one each from Brazil and Holland, a total of five.

Separately stands the bulk of the Italian cardinals, numbering thirty-nine.

The whole Sacred College numbers sixty-five cardinals, so that the next Pope needs forty-two votes to be elected. The Italians alone, or with the neutrals, are therefore insufficient, while any attempt to join either the German or Anglo-French group would cause other splits. Thus it appears likely the choice would fall on an Italian.

The Corriere D'Italia today publishes an interview with Dr. Marchisava concerning the illness and death of the Pope. The doctor says that during the last week of his life the Pope suffered keenly because of the war which is ravaging Europe. Dr. Marchisava endeavored to encourage his patient, but without success. Every time he was informed of further armed encounters the Pontiff became sadder.

The news hurt him physically and depressed him mentally. Nevertheless he was strong when death came. He finally reached his end unexpectedly, but overwhelmingly. It was when he was already tired of the most critical period of his life.

## EFFECT OF GRIEF.

The Pope's physical strength, Dr. Marchisava continued, had become other serious physical crises, but he collapsed when to the illness of his body was added his mental distress over the horrors of the war. The doctor does not say the Pontiff's death was induced by his anguish, but he does declare he probably would have resisted longer had he not been subject to this mental suffering.

A telegram has been received here from Cardinal Farley, archbishop of New York, who is in Switzerland. He says he was awestruck by the sudden and overwhelming news, which he could hardly believe, and that his duty as a cardinal was to impel him to come to Rome as quickly as possible, no matter at what risks. Cardinal Della Volpe has received telegrams of condolence from sovereigns and heads of states throughout the world.

Rome today is in deep mourning. Streets remain shut and the churches are crowded with the faithful at prayer.

## "Great, Good Man." Says Dr. Morrison

BERKELEY, Aug. 21.—Rev. Father F. X. Morrison, pastor of St. Joseph's church in this city, today gave details of his visit two years ago to his Holiness, Pope Pius X. He was received by the Pontiff in person and enjoyed a pleasant hour with him at the Vatican.

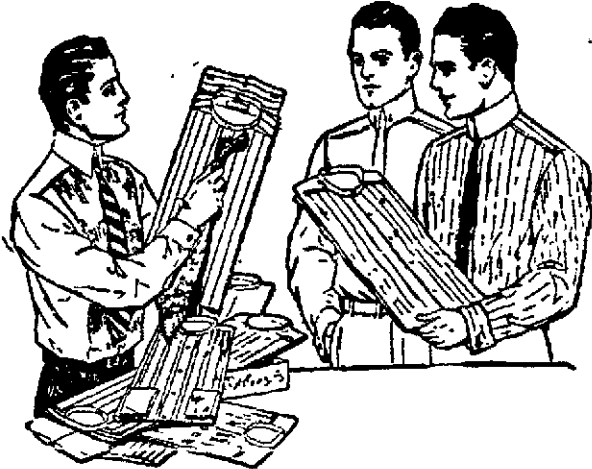
"He received me in a private audience," recounts Dr. Morrison, "and study, which is not very much larger than my own here and not much better furnished. He sat at his table and I sat on a little stool by his side. "I cannot easily forget the wonderful kindness of his face. There was a look of deep sadness in his eyes, as if he were bearing the weight of some heavy burden. But a smile would break through once in a while, and then one saw a countenance of wonderful sweetness and charm. "I was surprised at his intimate knowledge of things in this country. He spoke in French, but he spoke it with hesitation, and we soon changed to Latin, which he spoke with a charming ease and smoothness. I came away feeling that I had been in the presence of one of the great and good men of our time."

## WAR PREVENTS SHIPMENTS.

WINTERS, Aug. 21.—The Winters Dried Fruit Company, who export large quantities of fruit to European ports, made several shipments to Europe prior to the outbreak of war. The whereabouts of a number of these shipments is problematical. However, the company has received word that one of these consignments, after dodging hostile vessels on the Atlantic for several days, returned to New York and is being held subject to the orders of the foreign purchasers.

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# MEN'S SHIRTS



## Fashion Says:

Fancy Colors and Stripes Are to Be Most in Favor This Fall

Devotees of masculine fashions will best satisfy their tastes in the CAPWELL Men's Furnishings Shop, where are collected the newest ideas for fall.

Men's Negligee Shirts, \$1.00, \$1.50 and \$2.00

Newest patterns and colorings for autumn in woven madras and imported percale. Absolutely fast colors. Plain or plaited bosom styles. Laundered cuffs.

Soft Negligee Shirts, \$1.00, \$1.50 and \$2.00

Very smart new soft Shirts, made with French cuffs and soft separate collar of same material. Many beautiful patterns in solid colors and fancy stripes. Heavy or light weight fabrics.

## Shirts for Evening Dress

Handsome soft bosom Shirts with fine tucks. Made of finest grade cambric. Semi-stiff or soft French double cuffs. Also new fancy pique stiff bosom Evening Shirts—\$2.00 and \$2.50 each.

DAILY ARRIVALS IN CLEVER UP-TO-THE-MINUTE NECKWEAR IN ALL THE SHADES AND FABRICS .....50c, \$1.00 to \$2.00

**H.C. Capwell Co.**  
THE LACE HOUSE

Clay, 14th and 15th Streets,

# HOSPITAL CHARITY BOX THIEF HELD

Arrested Through Nuns, De la Tour May Face Burglary Charge.

Maurice de la Tour, captured late yesterday afternoon at the Providence hospital through the aid of the mother superior, is being held in detention by the police and will probably be charged with burglary. Inspectors Hodgkins and Duffon are investigating the past record of the man.

De la Tour was discovered in the act of rifling the charity box in the hospital. When he realized that he was observed by one of the sisters who had entered the chapel, he fell upon his knees and pretended that he was praying. The sister informed the mother superior, who accosted De la Tour.

The mother superior spoke to the man, and after confessing that he had taken some money from the box, he explained that he had been driven to theft from hunger. Taking pity on him the mother superior took him to the kitchen and fed him. The police had been notified and Hodgkins and Duffon arrived when De la Tour was finishing his meal and placed him in custody.

On searching De la Tour at the police station the police found brooches, pins, rings and other jewelry, which they believe he stole from the rooms of nurses and patients at the Providence hospital. They also found \$25 in currency.

## VIRGINIA REEL WILL BE EVENT AT FESTIVAL

Among the many events to take place at the harvest festival of Brooklyn, N. Y., at Piedmont Pavilion on Saturday evening will be an old-fashioned Virginia reel, with W. C. Townsend as the fiddler.

A strong effort to capture first prize for the largest representation of any society at the festival is being made by the La Fiesta Club of East Oakland, who promise to have 50 members present, costumed as Spanish Torsadors. Piedmont Parlor, N. S. G. W., will also send a large delegation.

A decoration committee under the direction of A. A. Bowie have been at work for several days placing the pavilion in an attractive appearance and many novel electrical effects are promised, which will carry out the autumn and harvest ideas.

The reception committee consists of J. Jordan, L. Whelan, M. H. Glaze, C. A. Jacoby, Grant D. Miller, W. DeFreitas, Irving S. Domes and L. J. Hicks. F. C. Merritt will act as director general with A. E. Glaze as secretary.

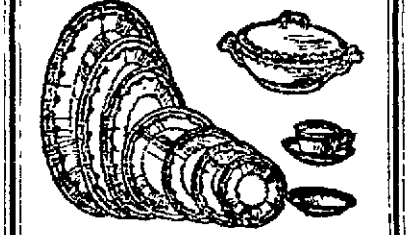
## CINCINNATI IS NAMED.

LOUISVILLE, Ky., Aug. 21.—Cincinnati was selected as the 1915 convention city of the National Comptroller's Association at the closing session of its fifth annual meeting here yesterday. F. M. Meadows, of Pinville, Ky., was elected president. Among the vice-presidents selected was G. H. Munson, Weed, Cal.

## DIARRHOEA QUICKLY CURED.

"My attention was first called to Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy as much as twelve years ago. At that time I was seriously ill with summer complaint. One dose of this remedy checked the trouble," writes Mrs. C. W. Florence, Rockfield, Ind. For sale by Osgood Bros. Drug Store.

# Howell Dohrmann Co. The Dinnerware Store



Sixty Open Stock Patterns in addition to being able to replace any broken piece you are given the choice of the largest selection of Chinaware on the Coast, and prices lowest for ware of equal quality. We carry sixty open stock patterns. Each backed at all times by a large and complete assortment.

50 Pieces — \$3.98, \$4.95, \$7.55, \$7.95, \$15.90 up to \$100.

100 Pieces — \$13.20, \$14, \$15.50, \$15.80 up to \$178.50.

## CORNERS MUSHROOMS FOR HOTEL OAKLAND

The savory rice route and the French mushrooms on toast will not vanish from Oakland even though the war does raise and imported luxuries are not to be had after the present supply is exhausted. It is all because Emory La Valle, storekeeper at the Hotel Oakland, has a corner on French mushrooms. La Valle, who has been in business here for many years, was the first to realize that the French mushroom could be held up and he started out at once to corner the market. He got all the French mushrooms money could buy and many other imported delicacies which hotel owners and restaurant men are now seeking and clearing many prices for. He stored them all away in his big store-rooms.

"It takes more than a fight to worry me now," declares the storekeeper, "I've a corner on mushrooms, and you and I, perhaps, Oakland will have mushrooms when no one else has them across the bay and coming over here then and it's going to cost the langgo tea."

## COMMITTEE TO MEET.

Reports of officers and committees and consideration of several important matters of new business, including the proposal of installing a new municipal market, will come before tonight's meeting of the Progress and Prosperity Committee. The session will be held in the directors' room of the Chamber of Commerce. F. A. Ricketts will preside.

## ACCIDENT FREES PRISONER.

GARDNERVILLE, Nev., Aug. 21.—While on his way from Genoa to Gardnersville, Sheriff Arrild lost his prisoner when the machine he was driving collided with another machine. Both automobiles were badly damaged.

H. C. CAPWELL CO. — Clay, Fourteenth and Fifteenth Streets, Oakland — H. C. CAPWELL CO.

# Fast Entering into the Full Swing of a New Season

More Suits Came Yesterday for Women and Misses

at \$22.50 and \$25

Splendid Suits of serge and broadcloth, showing the cutaway coat, the Redingote and various other new length styles. Another feature of these Suits is the skinner tailored and wider skirt. The linings are all of SKINNER'S SATIN and the workmanship is superior in every respect.

All modeled on the same lines of those which will be shown in the Fashion Exhibit later on.

Remarkable values at the prices quoted.

## Special Tomorrow—

# Silk Petticoats

A large special purchase just arrived. Good quality of Messaline, cut on newest lines and well made with wide pleated flounce. Come in changeable, staple and all the new shades for Fall. Just the Petticoats you'll need to wear under the new Fall suits.

Look for them on the center aisle table on the main floor or in the department.

# Fall Millinery



## Inexpensive Copies of Imported Hats

Mostly black velvet in sailor, close fitting or medium flat brim effects, some posed at a slanting angle on the head—all very becoming and very smart, the creations of New York's leading modistes. The trimmings are gay fancies, silver or gold flowers or rich braid.

Prices, \$5.95 to \$10

## Our Roof Garden Restaurant

A splendid place to have luncheon or afternoon tea. The cuisine is excellent, the service prompt. Every day we serve a special \$35 table d'hôte luncheon for shoppers and business men. A la carte menu if preferred.

# Children's New Fall Coats

Yesterday's express brought a great lot of the smartest coats for little girls and big girls that we've seen in many a day. Dozens of styles for the tots from 2 to 6 years old and dozens for the 8 to 14 year miss.

The materials are fancy zibelines, heavy wool coatings, astrachan, moire plush, corduroy, chinchilla and Russian broadcloth.

Navy blue, rose, copenhagen, snuff, royal, mahogany, green, mustard and fancy combination mixtures prevail in the colorings.

The styles are fashioned after those of the grown-ups, with long waisted effects, flared bottom and cape coats with plenty of the plain tailored styles for school.

The price range for the little tots is .....\$3.75 to \$12.50  
For the older girls .....\$6.50 to \$21.50

# MUSIC

The Store With the Remick Service

POPULAR HITS—15c.

At the Ball, That's All  
Till It All Over Again  
When It's Night Time Down in Burgundy  
I'm On My Way to Mandalay  
Rock Me to Sleep of Love  
All Aboard for Dixieland  
Roses of Mountain Trail  
I'm Gonna Get You  
Black Rose Waltz  
Dorothy Three-Step

## MUSIC BOOKS

Star Selections from Operas.....35c  
Star Songs from Operas.....35c  
Popular Piano Pieces.....35c  
Classical.....1.15  
Star Dance Folio.....25c

## VOCAL MUSIC—5c.

Afterwards  
Ave Maria  
Heart Bowed Down  
Spring Song  
Lullaby  
Alice  
Schubert's Eyes  
April Chorus  
Then You'll Remember Me  
Toreador Song

## INSTRUMENTAL—5c

Musical Box  
Scherzo  
Woodland Echoes  
William Tell  
Schubert's Serenade  
Lullaby  
Flower  
Zampa Overture  
Danse des Valse

# Children's Fall Millinery

(Infants' Wear Section)

Cunning little Hats for 2 to 6 year old tots. Velvet, plush, corduroy, bengaline, plaid silk and black or white Fur Hats trimmed with ribbon roses, fancy bows, fur and pleatings of contrasting color. Very becoming bonnet shapes and soft fur Hats. Prices \$1.75 to \$6.50.

# New Fall Ribbons



## In Gorgeous Display

Fashion authorities predict for Fall the greatest ribbon season in many years.

Our shipments are mostly here and include novelty colors and patterns of every kind that is going to be in highest favor for fall's wear. Trimming, sashes and other ribbon purposes. We have chosen for newness, style, quality and right price. Prominent are Scotch and French plaids, Brocades, Gros-grains, Ottoman, Bayaders, Moire, Faille and Velours. All widths at prices ranging from 25c to \$6.50 yd.

# Boys' Two-Pants Suits

New Ones Came Yesterday

Fine Suits of superior cut, make and style. Best quality of materials in the newest Fall patterns.

Pants are full peg cut and lined throughout. Norfolk Coats show the latest in pleating and pockets. Sizes 6 to 17 years.

Prices, \$5.00, \$6.50 and \$7.50

# New Wide Moire Ribbons, 50c

Fall Ribbons, just eight inches wide—Black, white and all the new colors including the geranium shades, gold, mahogany, the new blues, lavender, purple, emerald, chateaufort and many others.

# Women's New Fall Dresses \$19.75

Made in New York from Paris models they represent the top-notch of fashion. Very picturesque creations in serge and satin combinations, crepe de chine and poppins. Made in the semi-fitted, the long straight bodice or the basque effects. Long tunics, plain or accordion pleated prevail.

# Shoe Sale

Regardless of the threatened rise in leather our sale of Women's Low Shoes goes on at these same big reductions.

Reg. \$5.00 Pumps \$3.85  
Reg. \$4.00 Pumps \$3.15  
Reg. \$3.50 Pumps \$2.65

# "La Grande Dame" Cape

Something New in Evening Gown Accessories

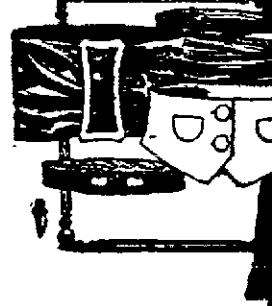
Just out of their tissue wrappings. Of rich Pt. Lierre Lace made to hang from the shoulders in cape effect. Some interwoven with silver spangles, others covered with iridescent spangles. Very handsome and ultra fashionable. Ask to see them at the Neckwear Section. Prices—\$9.50 to \$45.

Other new arrivals at this section embrace organdie and pique collar and cuff sets—25c to \$2.75.

Stiff Collars from—25c to \$1.00.

# New Belts and Girdles

Some of white kid, 50c others of suede in green, grey, brown and black, made with two smart pockets; others are of crushed roman stripe silk; all constitute Fashion's latest word.



# Our Baby Shop—



The most satisfactory place to buy Baby's clothes—satisfactory both as to value and price.

Infants' Sweaters—White and colors. Plain and fancy weaves—50c to \$1.50.

Infants' White Wool Toques—To match the Sweaters. All white or white with pink and blue borders 50c, 65c and 75c.

Infants' Knit Bands—In cotton and wool, silk and wool and all silk—25c, 35c to 65c.

Infants' Bibs—Quilted, marseilles, honeycomb and lawn. All lace trimmed—5c to \$1.00.

Hand Made Bibs—65c to \$1.25.

## ARNOLD'S KNIT GOODS

The best knitted garments for baby that are manufactured. For service and Baby's best comfort ask for these.

# Yardage Goods Hemmed Free Every Day

(Main Floor)

36-inch Stork sheeting, double coated, yard .....\$1.00  
Turkknit Bath Sheets .....60c  
22-inch Cotton Diaper Cloth, 10-yard pieces .....90c  
Babies' Turkknit Bath Towels .....10c  
Crib Pillow Cases .....15c  
Crib Comforters .....\$1.00 to \$3.50  
Crib Pillows, 14x18, filled with down .....90c  
Crib Blankets, 32x42 .....45c  
White Cotton Flannel, yd. ....10c  
White Domest Flannel, yd. ....12 1/2c  
White Wool Flannel, 50c to \$1.00  
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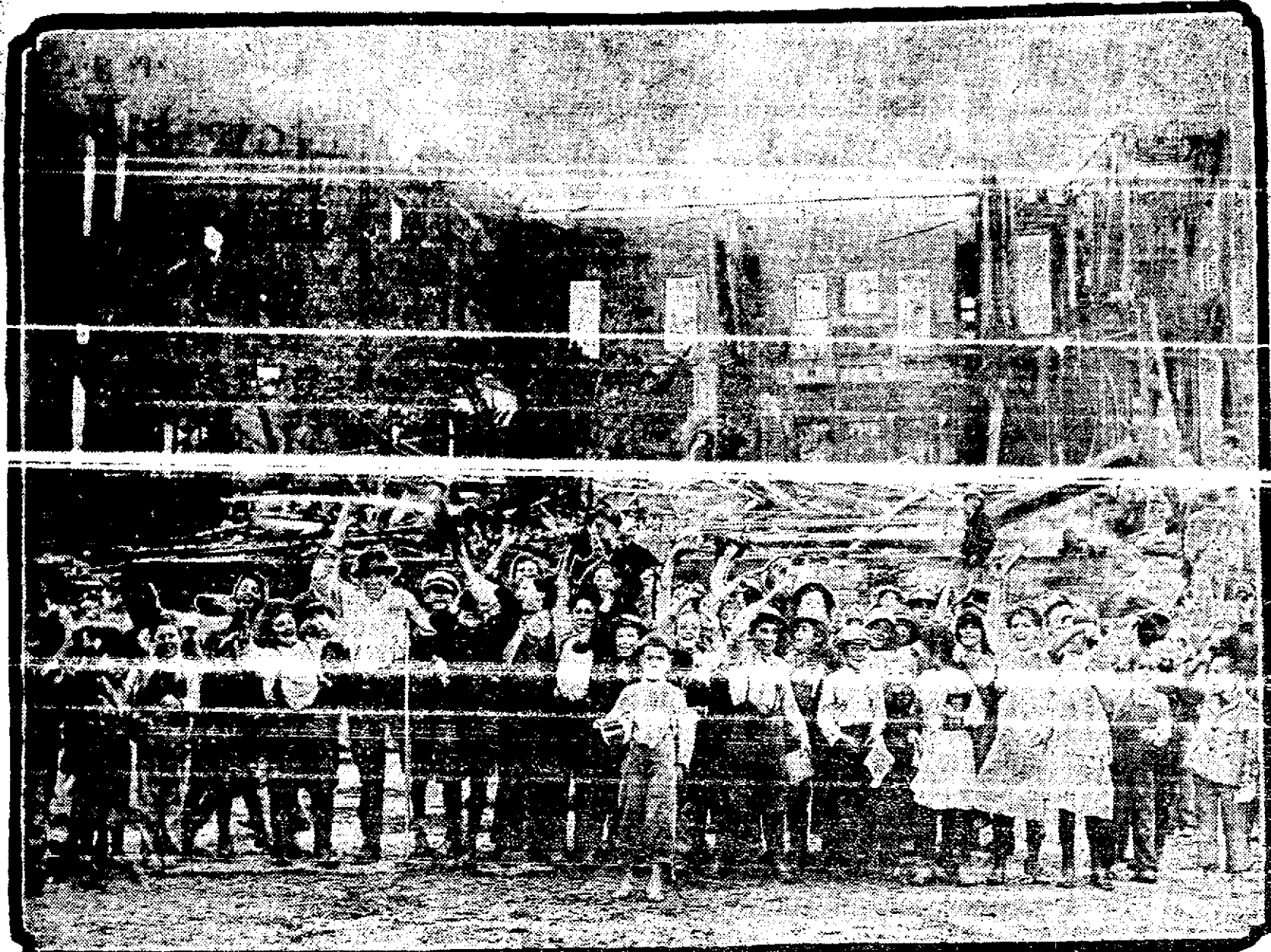
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# FIRE DESTROYS TOMPKINS SCHOOL SEARCH FOR FIREBUG IS RENEWED



RUINS OF TOMPKINS SCHOOL, AT FIFTH AND LINDEN STREETS, DESTROYED BY FIRE AT AN EARLY HOUR TODAY; AND SOME OF THE PUPILS DISPLAYING SORROW AT WRECKING OF CLASSROOMS.

## Walls Tumble and the Firemen Have Narrow Escape

The Tompkins school, a two-story frame structure at Fifth and Chestnut streets, which has been a landmark in Oakland for many years, having been erected in 1877, was destroyed by fire early this morning. The building was a total loss and was valued at about \$30,000. Only \$10,000 insurance was carried.

The origin of the fire has not been determined, but it is believed that it may have been set by the pyromaniac whose operations in Oakland for the last month have baffled the police. This is the seventh fire which is believed to have been of incendiary origin within four weeks.

The fire started at the southwest corner of the building, and before it was discovered the flames had mounted to the second story. Half of the west wall was then a mass of burning wood.

A group of four firemen narrowly escaped injury when the southern half of the west wall fell, throwing a mass of burning timbers outward into the school yard. The firemen were working on the ground, which was covered by the wreck of the wall, and were warned just in time to make their escape.

The explosion of a gas main in the building gave the fire a great impetus, as tongues of flame continued to shoot up, making the fire fighting in this part of the building almost useless. It was some time before the shut-off could be found and the jet of gas checked.

**FLAMES SOAR.**  
The fire was exceedingly spectacular. The big two-story wooden building burned like tinder and the stream of water the fire department was able to throw had little effect. Great tongues of flames shot from 100 to 150 feet in the air and sparks and

small pieces of burning wood fell on buildings several hundred feet from the fire.

The stables of the W. P. Fuller Company, the Le Serra Draying Company and Scott-Magner Company were endangered, but as there was no wind the firemen were able to prevent the flames spreading.

A crowd of over 6000 people from West Oakland gathered in the street and the police had great difficulty in keeping the mass of people back. Seven alarms were rung in and the entire neighborhood was aroused. The fire could be seen from any part of Oakland and was so bright that it was possible to read a newspaper many blocks away.

Residents along Chestnut and Seventh streets carried their belongings into the street in the fear that the fire would spread in the direction of their homes.

The fire alarm was turned in at 2:55 a. m. by Patrolman Maxey and Special Policeman Robertson. At that time the fire had already gained great headway. Fire companies responded. The work of the men was directed by Chief Ball and Assistant Chiefs McGrath and Whitehead and Acting Assistant Chief Carroll. The fire continued to burn until 6 o'clock this morning, when the flames were under control. Only the heaps of ashes and burning timbers remain of the school.

**SEVEN-GRADE SCHOOL.**  
The Tompkins school contained seven full grades, running from the first to high fifth. There were also two special classes for children of foreign parentage, one disciplinary grade and one subnormal conducted by Mrs. Vinnie S. Hicks. There were twelve classrooms and an assembly room. The building had recently been renovated and a new sanitary system installed at considerable expense.

The principal of the school was Susan McPeely, with 425 pupils under the direction of her teachers.

Secretary of the Board of Education, A. L. Hansford, announced this morning that the school trustees would immediately set about making provisions to care for the classes for-

merly held in the Tompkins school. It is probable that they will be transferred to the Cole and Prescott schools, and some of them may even have to go as far as the Harrison school.

Captain of Inspectors Lou F. Agnew today detailed detectives to make an investigation as to the cause of the fire. The whole southeast corner of the building had been destroyed before the firemen arrived, and it is probable that it will be impossible to obtain concrete evidence of arson, but the police believe that the building was set on fire.

## PLAN TEMPORARY STRUCTURE.

Commissioners of Finance and Revenue John Forrest, who is ex-officio member of the school board, today announced that work will be commenced immediately upon temporary structures for classes at the Tompkins school site, and that with the exception of a few pupils, the school department hopes to be able to have all the grades under way at the same site within the first few days of the coming week. One class,

however, will probably be sent to the Harrison school.

"It will be necessary to rebuild the Tompkins school immediately," said Forrest today. "As the temporary structure we put up will be merely a makeshift. The school department had asked 5 cents apportionment in the tax rate for improvements of this kind and the council will now be in a position where it cannot avoid granting it. An increase of 5 cents in the tax levy will be necessary to provide for the construction of a new building and its equipment."

The American flag formed a beautiful spectacle against the clouds of flame and smoke above the Tompkins school this morning, according to Captain Agnew. The flag had been left flying yesterday afternoon and the flagstaff was on a corner of the building which was last attacked by the flames. The crowds that rushed to the scene watched for over an hour while the Stars and Stripes waved in the breeze against the lurid background formed by the volume of smoke and lighted from the flames from below.

## BIRD PRESENTS YOUNG TO ITS WOMAN FRIEND

**ATCHISON, Kan., Aug. 21.**—A year ago Mrs. D. W. Ayres found a baby bird in her yard. She took it in her house and reared it in a cage. The bird evidently remembered its treatment by Mrs. Ayres, for it recently left a founding bird on her porch. She is feeding the little one, although its mother also makes frequent visits in the house, to which it

## COMPANY SUES EX-MANAGER.

Mark S. Armstrong, former manager of the Fidelity Loan and Mortgage Company was sued today by the concern, which demands \$5000 and the cancellation of a note for \$10,000 alleging that he fraudulently dismissed himself from his \$250 per month position in order to collect the note. Armstrong was given 10,000 shares of stock with the understanding that should he sever his connections with the company he would be paid \$10,000 for the security. He is now accused of having by resolution discharged himself and endeavoring to enforce the contract.

## GETS WORD FROM MAROONED DIVINE

Rev. F. L. Goodspeed Writes to Church Officer; May Be on Franconia.

A letter, coming ahead while the pastor was arranging for passage on another steamer, has been received by Roscoe M. Jones, one of the officers of the First Presbyterian church, telling of the plans of Rev. Frank L. Goodspeed, pastor of the church, who, it is expected, will arrive on the Franconia from England. The vessel is due in Boston.

Rev. Goodspeed wrote Jones just before England was injected into the European war. He declared that from the appearance of the shipping situation it would be extremely difficult to reach home, but that he was attempting to secure passage on the Franconia for Boston. Should he have failed it may be that he will not arrive in Oakland until September.

His letter follows:

Newquay, Cornwall, August 5, 1914.

My Dear Mr. Jones:  
I did not expect to write you again before leaving for home, but this vast European war has so changed everything that I am writing as a precaution. It looks now as if England would jump into the conflict, and if she does it may be impossible for me to get home. The whole thing has come like a bolt out of a clear sky, and the war at this moment promises to be the worst and the bloodiest of history—a foolish and wicked conflict precipitated by Germany.

I am down here as the guest of a friend. As soon as I return to London I shall try to find out whether the ship upon which I have engaged passage will sail on the 18th or not. I will write you again as soon as I find out. All banks are closed in England and all business suspended. No one can be sure even of getting to the continent or from there here. The war is the only thing.

It may be that I shall find the Franconia will sail for Boston as scheduled or that I can get across some other way. But I have my fears. I had hoped that such a conflict as this promises to be was impossible in this age of the world. It may be that before this reaches you the skies will be clear.

Cordially yours,

F. L. GOODSPEED.

## LIQUOR LEADS TO DIVORCE.

Two husbands who were alleged to have spent the family funds for liquor were made defendants today in suits for divorce. Amelia Williams accuses Ewing Williams of cruelty. In particular that he threw beer bottles at her. Mrs. O. I. Arrivey sued E. E. Arrivey on the grounds that he drank to such an extent that he was incapacitated from attending to business. Mary A. Hansen has sued Joseph Hansen, alleging desertion.

## JEWELRY BURGLAR'S LOOT.

Mrs. Roy Gray, 570 Twelfth street, was awakened by the bell ringing during the night and jewelry valued at \$50 stolen. The police are investigating. John T. Knowles, 113 Gate street, reported that he gave his gold watch to a salesman for friend for safekeeping, and that the watch has disappeared.

## Fall Goods Now on Display

Every day new goods are being displayed in every department in this, Oakland's greatest store.

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# August White Sale

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At Prices Far Below Their Worth

The ART NEEDLE WORK Linen Department places on sale tomorrow wonderful showing of beautiful IMPORTED FRENCH CLUNY LINENS. These linens were bought at a special price and we were fortunate in getting them at all—Cluny linens being now sold at a premium.

Instead of advancing the price we are going to place them on a special sale as we originally intended to do.

The public should take advantage of this elegant sale, for it may be a long while before such fine linens will be sold in a sale again. They come in all sizes and in a limited amount of each pattern. The special prices follow:

6-inch Doilies	9-inch Doilies	12-inch Doilies	18-inch Doilies
19c	39c	48c	65c
24-inch Centerpieces	28-inch Centerpieces	45-inch Centerpieces	
\$2.38	\$2.59	\$6.75	
Scarfs	Scarfs	Scarfs	
18x36 ins. \$2.65	18x45 ins. \$2.95	18x54 ins. \$3.35	

Art Needle-Work Linen Department—Second Floor

## Free Art Needlework Classes Every Day, 10 a. m. to 5 p. m.

Our Embroidery Classes are becoming very popular and many women are being instructed in the newest stitches by our expert instructor. Why don't you join? Ask any one in the Art Department about them. New novelties are arriving daily, and finished models showing how they are made.

# Boys' Suits

Regular \$6.00 & \$6.50 Values **\$3.85**  
ON SALE FOR

Each Suit Has Two Pairs of Pants

All the up-to-date suits of mixtures, tweeds, fancy pencil stripes, diagonals in browns, tans, blue and grays. New models with the latest patch pockets.

They are extra well made—and perfect fitting. Guaranteed all wool.

These are most excellent suits for every day hard wear.

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Sizes 10 to 13½ \$2.25  
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<p><b>COFFEE</b>—"K" Special Brand; reg. 35c lb. SPECIAL 30c lb. 3½ lbs. \$1.00</p> <p><b>TEA</b>—All flavors; reg. \$1.00 lb. 80c lb.</p> <p><b>CAMPBELL'S</b> POIRK AND BEANS 2-lb. tin. SPECIAL 3 dms. 25c Per dozen \$3.00</p> <p><b>HAMS</b>—Eastern Sugar Cured OUR PRICE 25c per lb. reg. 35c</p> <p><b>SOUPS</b>—L. BRAND, Mock Turtle, Ox Tail, Cream of Celery, Rice Tomato, etc. SPECIAL 3 for 25c Per dozen \$3.00</p> <p><b>FLAVORING EXTRACTS</b> (Pure) Reg. 25c bottle; SPECIAL 2 for 50c</p> <p><b>PRUNES</b> (large Oregon)—Reg. 15c lb. SPECIAL 2 lbs. 25c</p> <p><b>CRACKERS</b>—Standard Biscuit Company; regular 10c pkg. SPECIAL 7 pkgs. 50c</p> <p><b>MILK</b>—CARNATION, ALPINE, HOLLY, dozen 95c</p>	<p><b>TOMATO CATSUP</b> (Snider's) Reg. 25c bot. SPECIAL 20c bot.</p> <p><b>SARDINES</b> (in pure Olive Oil) Reg. 15c tin. SPECIAL 2 dms 25c</p> <p><b>WORCESTERSHIRE SAUCE</b> (Robinson's equal to imported) 25c value; SPECIAL 15c bot.</p> <p><b>PEANUT BUTTER</b>; reg. 20c lb. SPECIAL 15c lb.</p> <p><b>SOAP</b>, CUDAHY'S WASHING (Good for this water) 9 for 25c 19 bars for 50c</p> <p><b>SAPOLIO</b>—SPECIAL 2 cakes 15c</p> <p><b>CHLORIDE OF LIME</b>; reg. 10c SPECIAL 4 tins for 25c</p>	<p><b>Fruits and Vegetables</b></p> <p>Sultana Seedless GRAPES—Per basket \$2.00</p> <p>Choice SEEDLESS GRAPEFRUIT 7 for 25c</p> <p>Choice GRAVESTON APPLES 5-lb. Basket 20c</p> <p>GRAVESTON APPLES—Per box \$1.00</p> <p>Large BLACK SEED WATER-MELON—each 20c</p> <p>GREEN LIMA BEANS—4½ lbs. for 25c</p> <p>Fancy New SWEET POTATOES 9 lbs. 25c</p> <p>BURBANK POTATOES—12 lbs. 25c</p> <p>New firm yellow DRIED ONIONS 11 lbs. 25c</p> <p>CREAM SQUASH, large, 4 for 10c</p> <p>CARROTS, TURNIPS and BEETS 3 for 10c</p>
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FREE DELIVERY IN OAKLAND, ALAMEDA AND BERKELEY

## COMMERCIAL CLUB TO RESUME ITS SMOKERS

Next month will set the first Commercial Club smoker after the vacation period, and preparation is already under way to make it one of the biggest ever held by the organization. The practice of holding monthly "get-together" smokers was discontinued by the board of governors during the vacation season, there being but a few members not away on vacations, but with the opening of the season next month it is planned to make the affairs more pretentious than ever before. It is expected that a date in the third week of September will be set for the first smoker, the Alameda County Music Teachers Association to entertain at the club during the first week with an elaborate musical.

## IS BITTEN BY DOG

Medeline Nelson, six years of age, was bitten by a dog belonging to Mrs. N. Reardon, 525 Fifty-third street, yesterday. The child was cared for at her home, 518 Fifty-third street, by Dr. C. T. DeLoe, who bound up a flesh wound in the calf of the leg.

The dog was taken to the pound. Zelma Lee, a school girl 12 years of age, living with her parents at 1059 Sixty-fourth street, was bitten by two dogs belonging to W. D. Willis at his laundry, 1302 Sixty-third street. The wounds were not serious. The dogs have been placed in the pound. Dr. Koford attended the little girl.

## STARTER ATTACKS HUSBAND.

Henry T. Moore, 26 years of age, 242 Twelfth street, went to the emergency hospital last night as the result of a fight with his wife. While out walking the Moores met another man. Taken to task for his actions, the stranger began to fight. Moore was struck in the jaw and the injury required surgical treatment.

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## CONGRESS MAY BE IN LONG SESSION

Meeting During War Is Urged  
Upon Attentive Statesmen.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 21.—Efforts of Republican Senators to reach an agreement with Democrats for adjournment of Congress within the next two weeks have come to a halt. Administration leaders declaring Congress would have to remain in session during war in Europe. Chairman Simmons of the Senate Finance Committee said that inasmuch as Congress would have to be ready to meet any revenue shortage caused by the war, there could be no thought of adjourning now.

Some Democratic Senators have proposed, however, that the trust legislation program be concluded with the passage of the Clayton bill. They would defer the pending measure authorizing the interstate Commerce Commission to regulate security issues of common carriers until next session. They contend that more study and investigation is needed to complete that bill, and that the Clayton and trade commission measures should be ample for the immediate regulation of big business. Probably the question soon will be settled at a Democratic conference.

**NAMES IRRIGATION CONFEREES.**  
SACRAMENTO, Aug. 21.—Governor Johnson today appointed A. L. Cowell of San Francisco, M. N. Newmark and Harold A. Dellman, both of Los Angeles, delegates to the Interstate Irrigation conference, which will convene in Helena, Mont., October 1, 2 and 3.

The conference was called by Franklin K. Lane, secretary of the Interior. Questions relative to vast irrigation and reclamation projects will be taken up.

**TRUST COMPANY SUED.**  
ST. LOUIS, Aug. 21.—Suit for the appointment of a receiver for the Bankers' Trust Company, a St. Louis concern that owns stock in many small town banks in the southwest, was filed in the Circuit Court here today.

**STUCK BY MACHINE.**  
Yong King, a San Francisco tea merchant, was knocked down by an automobile at Tenth and Broadway this afternoon. The auto was driven by Elmer Storm. King was treated at the central emergency hospital.

## A Hint for Coming Maternity

In a little book designed for expectant mothers more complete instruction is given in the use of "Mother's Friend." This is an external embrocation applied to the abdominal muscles for the purpose of reducing the strain on ligaments, cords and tendons.

It serves to ease the mind, indirectly has a most beneficial effect upon the nervous system and thousands of women have delighted to find how they were free of nausea, had no morning sickness and went through the ordeal with most remarkable success. "Mother's Friend" has been growing in popular favor for more than forty years. In almost every community are grandmothers who used it themselves, their daughters have used it and they certainly must know what a blessing it is when they recommend it so warmly. It is used very successfully to prevent taking of breast.

"Mother's Friend" has been prepared in the laboratory of Bradford Regulator Co., 304 Lamar Bldg., Atlanta, Ga., for more than 25 years. It is a safe, reliable, and almost any drugstore from coast to coast.

Write today.

## ENTERS PRISON; SPOUSE FOLLOWS

"Hope I'll See You Here," Says  
Man to Wife; He Does.

LOS ANGELES, Aug. 21.—"I hope you'll be in here some day," said Clarence A. Lee to his wife, Mrs. Margaret Lee, as he was led into the city jail to serve one year. This happened three months ago.

"Ah! ha! You got what was coming to you," said Lee to his wife, as she was being led to a cell to await arraignment. The melodramatic finale was enacted at the steel grill which opens to receive incoming prisoners, as Mrs. Lee, aged 27, of 845 Maple avenue, was being booked on a charge of petty larceny, preferred by Mrs. Minnie Burns of 811 Grand avenue.

Mrs. Lee came into prominence on May 21, when she entered a rooming house on South Hill street, opened a locked door with a skeleton key and from the

Laura Laycock to the office of the City Prosecutor and swore to a complaint against her husband. Lee was convicted and sentenced to one year in jail.

When Mrs. Lee was arrested by Detectives Hawley and Craig and taken to the detective department she asked:

"Are you going to put me in jail?"

When she was told that they were, she tensely inquired:

"Will it be the same one that my husband is in?"

Again she was answered in the affirmative. The detectives told her she must go through the same door which opened to admit her husband, but that she would be quickly taken up stairs to the women's section on the third floor.

"If only he doesn't see me, I won't care," the tearful woman said. "He said he hoped I'd be in the same jail with him some day."

The officers passed with the shrinking woman through the steel door and hurried for it to open, when Lee, who has just become a trusty and who has the freedom of the first floor of the jail came into the hallway.

Husband and wife faced each other for a full minute, silent. Then he spoke.

"Ah! Ha! You got what was coming to you," he said, and laughed.

The woman faintly and was carried in the arms of Detective Hawley to her cell, where she was revived.

## CALL MEETING ON TRAFFIC DISPUTE

Downtown Association Also  
Deals With Other Improvement Plans.

The semi-annual meeting and election of officers of the Downtown Association last evening in Hotel Crellin was also the second anniversary of the formation of the organization. The members re-elected the officers that have served for the past six months, as follows:

President, A. R. Drege, vice-president, Roy R. Read, treasurer, Edwin Stearns, secretary.

The committee on street paving reported that Jefferson street between Twelfth and Thirteenth streets, on one side, had signed up to have that portion of the street paved, and the only other owner in the block was the city of Oakland, since it is presumed the work will be begun about the same time as the contract awarded two days ago to pave Jefferson street between Twelfth and Thirteenth streets.

The street railway committee reported several meetings and a plan presented by the traction company officials to have the Leland avenue cars run on a ten-inch

Fifth avenue, Eighth street and Washington street, thus making a trunk line from the eastern portion of the city to the western portion.

Through efforts of Derge six of the larger property owners in the downtown district, not formerly connected with the association, have elected to membership.

So much has been said, both pro and con of the running of the Key Route cars on Twelfth street that it was voted to hold a special meeting of the association, at which property owners on Twelfth street, between Jefferson and Webster streets, on Thursday evening next, to ascertain the wishes of the majority and take steps in accordance with the expressed desires.

The plans of the Alameda County Civic Association to have established two or more municipal markets in different sections of the city, where the farmer, by paying a nominal sum of 15 to 25 cents to defray the cost of cleaning the lot, may sell his products from a wagon, was approved upon request of the civic association.

A new street lighting committee will be appointed within a day or two to look into the virtues of a new style of street lighting which is said to give double the amount of light for the same cost.

The report of the secretary showed a large amount of good accomplished during the past six months, and the meeting proved the efficacy of consolidated effort.

**MENTAL HEALING LECTURES.**

Plymouth church, Oakland, announces a course of five lessons in "The Fundamental Principles of Mental Healing," to be given on Tuesday evening, at 8 o'clock, beginning August 25, by Henry T. Plant, who is a practitioner of Emmanuel Methods.

The topics to be taken up will be as follows: August 25, "Relation of Mind to the Body"; September 1, "Principles Underlying Control of the Body by the Mind"; September 8, "Our Resources for Helping Others"; September 15, "The Conscious, Subconscious and Unconscious Mind"; September 22, "The Psychology of Prayer." This course is given with the full approval and co-operation of Rev. Palmer and will be followed in due time by other courses going deeper into the subject and discussing in detail the practical application.

**WOULD PROTECT FISH.**

PORTLAND, Ore., Aug. 21.—The salmon industry in the Columbia river soon will be ruined unless drastic action is taken to protect the fish.

H. M. Lorensten, an Astoria fisherman, testified today before the federal industrial relations commission.

"The Columbia river is the only stream in the country on which protective laws are carried out on destructive lines," he declared. "Fishing below tide water and with stationary appliances are the two principal abuses that should be corrected."

**STABBER IS SENTENCED.**

George Foster, convicted by a jury in Superior Judge Ogden's court of assaulting Joseph Meyer with a knife in a saloon at Third and Grove streets, was today sentenced to serve 6 months in the county jail.

Foster, who stood guilty to forgery, was placed on probation today for a term of ten years.

## TWENTY START IN ELGIN ROAD RACES

Tedzlaff Wins First Brush; De  
Palma and Wishart  
Favorites.

ELGIN, Ill., Aug. 21.—The veteran Ralph De Palma won the Elgin road race today, doing the 301 miles in 4:05:10-1-10.

Gil Anderson was second with 4:05:45.2 and Ralph Mulford third, 4:08:16. De Palma's time averaged 73.6 miles per hour, lowering the record, which was 71.5.

ELGIN, Ill., Aug. 21.—Ted Tedzlaff won the first brush of the automobile race for the Cobs trophy, beating Dearborn to Hornbeck's corner and rounding the turn ahead of him. The two were the first of twenty to leave the starting tape at 11:15 this morning in the 301-mile grind of the fifth Elgin National Road Races.

De Palma, a former winner of the event, driving a foreign car fresh from its record-breaking conquest in the Grand Prix at Lyon, France, and Spencer Wishart were the favorites.

Owing to the large number of entries the cars were to be started two at a time.

The entries as officially announced are:

No. Car. Driver.  
1—Stutz. F. Dearborn  
2X—Lozier. L. Fontaine  
3X—Duesenberg. E. O'Donnell  
4—Maxwell. T. Tedzlaff  
5X—Duesenberg. R. De Palma  
6X—Peugeot. E. Burman  
7—Marmont. Jesse Callahan  
8—Mercer. E. Pullen  
9—Stutz. E. Eckenbacher  
10—Mercedes. R. De Palma  
11—Stutz. R. Oldfield  
12—Duesenberg. Tom Alley  
13—Stutz. H. Grant  
14—Great Western. W. Westmarsh  
15X—Rae. Fritz Walker  
17—White. W. J. Shunk  
18—Marmont. W. D'Alene  
19—Mercer. S. Wishart  
20—Peugeot. R. Mulford  
21—Tails. M. Roberts  
22—Stutz. G. Anderson  
23—Duesenberg. Carlsson  
24—Maxwell. A. Orr  
25X—White. Galloutte  
26—Mercer. C. Luttrell  
27—Ray Fox. S. S. 15, 25 and 28  
28X—Chadwick. E. Burt  
29—Sunbeam. G. Morris  
30—Marmont. H. Reimann  
31—Randen Bulldogs. Keating  
32—Great Western. W. Westmarsh

Thirty-one cars are entered for the Saturday race while but twenty-five are entered in Friday's events. The cars included were: (Coast 2, 3, 15, 25 and 28) will take part in Saturday's race only. There is no car No. 13 in either race.

At the end of the first hour the leaders in the race were:

No. Driver. Laps. Time.  
First—Wishart. 6. 37-40  
Second—De Palma. 5. 39-40  
Third—Hornbeck. 4. 41-05  
Fourth—Wulfox. 6. 41-02  
Fifth—Tedzlaff. 6. 42-53

The leaders at the end of the 100 miles were:

First—Wishart, 1:15:24.  
Second—De Palma, 1:19:38.  
Third—Wulfox, 1:21:58.  
Fourth—Anderson, 1:22:50.  
Fifth—Aller, 1:23:37.

Mulford and Oldfield were following close in 6th and 7th positions. Grant withdrew in 6th lap with a broken oil tank. Timmarsh withdrew in the same lap with a broken oil tank. Tedzlaff had trouble and quit in the 7th lap. Because of illness Carlsson stopped on the 11th lap.

At 200 miles the leaders were:

First—Wishart, 2:34:28.  
Second—De Palma, 2:40:58.  
Third—Anderson, 2:43:55.  
Fourth—Mulford, 2:49:15.  
Fifth—Oldfield, 2:51:37.

**Y. W. C. A. TO BREAK  
GROUND FOR BUILDING**

Ground will be broken for the Young Women's Christian Association's 1915 building at the exposition grounds, Tuesday, August 25. Mrs. Ella Schooley will direct the exercises, and Mrs. Phoebe Hearst will break ground. Work on the building, which was designed by Miss Anna Morgan, will be hastened to final completion.

The ground-breaking program is as follows:

Processional. . . . . Surprised choir  
Led by W. E. Grace Cathedral.  
Address of welcome. . . . . Mr. John F. Merrill  
Chairman exposition committee, National Board of the Y. W. C. A.  
Invocation. . . . . Rev. J. D. D.D.  
Prayer. . . . . Rev. J. D. D.D.  
Greetings from the Y. M. C. A. . . . . H. C. McCoy  
General secretary, Y. W. C. A.  
Address. . . . . C. C. Moore  
President Panama-Pacific Exposition.  
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Hymn. . . . . "Stand Up for Jesus."  
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Secretary of the national board of the Y. W. C. A.

Presentation of spade to chairman.  
Breaking of ground. . . . . Phoebe A. Hearst  
Raising of flag with salute. . . . . Altham Club, San Francisco.  
Singing of National Anthem. . . . . Audience.  
Benediction. . . . . Bishop William Ford Nichols.  
Sweeping flowers on the site.  
Music by Third Band Artillery Corps.

**SHORTHAND IN  
SMALL CLASSES**

Successful Method Used  
the Ilsen Shorthand  
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Recently attention has been called to the hardship worked on students in large crowded classes. This has been realized for years past by the Ilsen Shorthand Institute with the result that it has adopted the method of instruction is given in small private classes so that the instructors can immediately assist the learner. The progress is therefore rapid and thorough.

Another very great help to uniformity in the work is that the day classes of the Institute are for young ladies exclusively. This feature, together with the refined surroundings, the cheerful, refined surroundings, and the high standard of instruction, render the study of shorthand and typing unusually interesting and effective.

The school is located at 523 Twelfth street, elevator entrance Blake Block, 1121 Washington st.

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## The Shoe Section

An Informal Display  
of New Fall Footwear  
at Popular Prices

STRONG SCHOOL SHOES—For youths and boys. Button and lace Shoes, made in patent colt and gun metal.

Sizes 10 to 13½ priced..... \$2.50, \$2.75 and \$3.00  
Sizes 13½ to 6 priced..... \$3.00 and \$3.50

YOUNG LADIES' WELT BUTTON SHOES—In vici kid, patent leather and gun metal. These are in new patterns with low heels. Priced..... \$4.00

HEELS. Priced, per pair..... \$6.50, \$7.00 and \$7.50

SMART NOVELTY PUMPS—With striking cut-out effect French Cuban heels. Shown in patent and gun metal. Priced, per pair..... \$4.00

COLORED OVER GAITERS—In fawn, tan, green, plaids, black and white check, brown and navy. Priced, the pair..... \$1.50

We are agents for Dugan & Hudson's "Iron-Clad" Shoes

### Waist Section

#### New Silk Crepe de Chine WAISTS

that have the appearance of expensive models.  
Specially priced.

They are stylish and are shown in yellow, flesh, pink, apricot and white. The decorative touches are collars and cuffs in self and in white organdy, embroidered in self and colors. These waists are worth much more money..... \$3.75

### Cloak & Suit Section

New Goods Arriving Daily.

Important is our showing of Capes suitable for afternoon and evening wear. Some are imported and some are from the best New York houses. They are shown in Broadcloth, Velvet, Charmeuse, Satin and Crepe in black, white and in a full line of colors.

The prices, \$8.50, \$12.45, \$19.75 and \$24.75.

### China Section

Fine values in English White China with bright gold edge. The color is very clear and the shape very neat.

Tea Cups and Saucers, each..... 25¢  
Black Coffee Cups and Saucers, each..... 25¢  
Bouillons and Saucers, dozen..... \$4.00  
Ramlins with plates, dozen..... \$5.00

Imported Earthen Ware Tea Pot Stands—Square shape with feet. Has fancy decorations—Dutch Children, Windmills and Ships. Priced, each..... 35¢

### Leather Goods Section

New Hand Bags Showing Latest Styles.

We have just received a shipment of Leather, Silk and Moire Hand Bags, in the newest shapes.

Pin Morocco and Long Grain Bags, with gross grain lining, fitted with coin purse and mirror. Priced, each..... \$2.50

Pin Seal Bags in the attractive new shapes, with metal frames. Fitted as the above. Priced, each..... \$3.00

A fine assortment of Pin Seal, Mat Seal Dresden and Moire Bags, some metal frames, some leather covered, all in the new shapes and all fitted. Features "The Aladdin." Priced, each..... \$3.50 and \$5.00

### Sweaters

IMPORTED SILK SWEATERS—In two-toned and solid colors. These are particularly attractive and have created much favorable comment. Priced from..... \$11.00 to \$17.50

SILK SWEATER CAPS to match, \$2.50;  
SCARFS to match..... \$3, \$4, \$5

ANGORA SWEATERS—In the new sport coat effect, both the Norfolk and plain. Come in solid colors, two tone and in white trimmed with colors. Priced, each \$5.75

ANGORA CAPS to match the sweaters. Priced..... 75¢

### Glove Section

Items From the New Fall Shipments.

ONE-CLASP CAPE—Dent style glove for school or street wear. Comes in tan, priced, pair..... \$1.00

ONE-CLASP MOCHA—P. K. glove in gray, priced pair..... \$1.10

ONE LARGE PEARL CLASP MOCHA—Glove with prix seam; shown in gray, pearl and butternut. Priced pair \$1.75

### Neckwear Section

Full Assortment of Collars, Collar Sets and Vests

WHITE PIQUE VESTS—Smart addition for tailored suit wear..... 50¢ to \$2.00

SOFT ROLLING COLLAR—In Batiste, Organdie and Pique, plain hemstitched and hand embroidered, priced from..... 35¢, 50¢, 85¢ to \$2.25

VESTES—Of sheer lawn with soft rolling collar. Piquet and hemstitched edge. Priced, each..... 35¢

STIFF LINEN COLLAR and CUFFS—For street wear. Priced, set..... 50¢

FRENCH VESTES—Of sheer French Organdie. All hand made, and either plain or hand embroidered. Priced from..... \$1.50, \$1.75 up to \$4.75

### Parasol Section

Every Parasol at a Reduction.

All the new shapes and colors in Taffeta, Silk and Satin.

Former Prices to \$5.00 Now..... \$3.75

Former Prices to \$9.50 Now..... \$4.50

Former Prices to \$20.00 Now..... \$10

COUNTRY PARASOLS—In tans, pinks, blues, reds and white. Priced 50¢ to \$2

### Hosiery Section

#### Pony Stockings

"The Kind That Wear."

We are the sole distributors in Oakland for this excellent wearing stocking for Boys and Girls. Shown in five weights in Black, Tan and White. Sizes from 5 to 10½. Priced per pair..... 25¢

Silk Hose in an extra heavy quality of high grade silk. Have cotton top, sole, heel and toe. To be had in black, white and all the leading colors. Priced, per pair..... \$1.00

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## BANKERS FORM CURRENCY BODY

Organize in Preparation for the Work Under New Bank Act.

PORTLAND, Ore., Aug. 21.—In order to be prepared to take advantage of the provisions of the Aldrich-Vreeland act whenever it seems desirable, the National Currency Association of Oregon was organized late yesterday in the directors' room of the United States National Bank. Eleven national banks of the State were represented, there being five in Portland, and the First Nationals of Eugene, Albany, Astoria, Baker and the Union, and the Capital National of Salem.

C. P. Adams, president of the Security Savings and Trust Company, Portland, was elected president, R. Lee Barnes, vice-president of the United States National, Portland, was made secretary, and National of Eugene was elected treasurer.

An executive committee of five was selected as follows: Joseph Schmitt, president of the First National, Albany; J. H. Albert, president of the Capital National, Salem; Emory Olmstead, vice-president of the Northwestern National, Portland; R. L. Durham, president of the Merchants' National, Portland, and George W. Bates.

**FIRE DESTROYS BLOCK.** TACOMA, Wash., Aug. 21.—Fire last night wiped out a block in the center of Sumner, a suburban town, causing a loss of \$20,000. Three stores, a hotel and apartments were wiped out. The blaze originated from an explosion. Aid was asked of the Tacoma and Puyallup fire departments and they responded the blaze being subdued shortly before midnight.

## DEMOCRACY URGED IN SCHOOL SPORTS

Principal P. M. Fisher Sponsors Many Teams, Not Merely One.

To run high school athletics for the greatest good of the greatest number is the new plan which is being advocated by Principal P. M. Fisher of the Oakland Technical High school. "School athletics are too narrow," he said, "instead of all the boys having a chance and enjoying the benefits of vigorous exercise, the interest and encouragement of the whole school goes to a small number of crack players. They take the money and the only exercise which the mass of students get is that of rooting from the benches."

At a session of the California High School Teachers' Association, which met in Los Angeles last spring, a different arrangement was suggested that of forming a number of different teams in the same school in which each boy should

another. This plan might do away, to some extent with the present keen rivalries among the various schools, but it would greatly benefit the student body as a whole. Principal Fisher feels certain that it will have the support of all the high school principals in the State as it was ratified by the high school teachers' convention at the University of California summer school last year, and event all that of the students themselves, though at present they prefer their one glorious crack team.

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Three dances are to be given by the students during the coming term. They are to be held at Maple hall and are to be given by the students. The committee in charge is Miss Caroline Norman, William Stevenson and Leslie Cole.

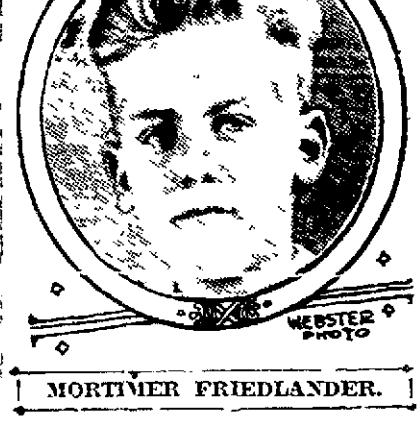
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## His Play Is Study Is Montessori Lad

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The little folk of the second grade are receiving impressions through the stories in the history course which illustrates the hunter, the shepherd, and the strategies of early man.

Baseball is still king of sports in the Oakland playgrounds. During the past month 472 games were played in twelve playgrounds. Volleyball, which was very popular as the girls' recreation, ranked next to baseball, and basketball secured third place. Handball and football were popular pastimes also, in many of the recreation centers.

In De Fremery park and Allendale playgrounds, baseball was the leading game. Basketball was the favorite sport in the Garfield school playground, while volleyball led in the Garfield, Hawthorne, Lakewood, Longfellow, Melrose, Prescott and Tremaine schools. These school playgrounds will be open after school hours on school days and all day on Saturdays, holidays and during vacations. On each ground two special supervisors will be employed.

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In addition to athletics, considerable attention will be given to out-of-door gymnastics, exercises on rings, bars, etc., tumbling, wrestling, etc. Girls and small children will be taught dancing.

**GAMES A FEATURE.** Games and free play for all children will form an important part of the program, which will include circle singing and running games and story-telling hours. Considerable attention will also be given to club work of all kinds. These will be out-of-door clubs for the mothers and fathers, clubs for boys and girls of different ages, such as dramatic clubs, sewing clubs, athletic clubs, etc.

All of the school buildings are to be open for recreation center purposes. Dramas, lectures, dramatics, entertainments, games and socials and the sports will all aid in the promotion of such activities.

Reservations will be made on each playground and appropriate exercises on the various holidays. An exception will be the exception of one or two each year are held on local playgrounds so as to save expense, cultivate local pride and often take place for some time after. On May Day each year, however, one big festival is held for the whole city.

Carole pageants and about 10,000 people are expected to attend the festival.

## SCHOOLS TO AID PLAYGROUND WORK

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"The school principal is responsible for the playground and the conduct of the playground supervisors when he is in charge of the school."

"The director of playgrounds has full control over athletics and play activities outside of school hours, but not of physical education activities during school hours."

**MANY ADVANTAGES.** The following are offered as some of the advantages of the proposed plan: A saving in overhead expense. Provision for the wider use of the school plant.

A saving in future expenditures for improvements and purchase of land for playgrounds.

Provision for the rapid extension of recreational activities with all their consequent benefits.

Some school grounds are hardly suitable for fully equipped playgrounds, but at ten of the schools the equipment will be practically complete. These are the Allendale, Hawthorne, Garfield, Hawthorne, Lakewood, Longfellow, Melrose, Prescott and Tremaine schools. These school playgrounds will be open after school hours on school days and all day on Saturdays, holidays and during vacations. On each ground two special supervisors will be employed.

The budget for the current fiscal year, if approved will make it possible to have these grounds to be graded, surfaced, parked and fenced, and will provide for ball courts, basketball courts, volleyball courts, tennis courts, football track, jumping pits, gymnastic apparatus for both boys and girls, training racks, sand boxes, slides, baby swings, table games, horizontal ladders, rings, vault, and houses, lockers, urinals and window guards.

Twenty other schools are to be kept open as playgrounds after school on school days only. These schools include the Claremont, Durant, Cole, Franklin, Fremont, Grant, Harrison, Highland, Jefferson, Lafayette, Lakeside, Laurel, Larkin, Lincoln, Marquette, McClellan, Melrose, Heights, Piedmont, Santa Fe and Sequoia. At each of these grounds one of the teachers with special preparation is to be paid a small extra salary for supervising the playground work. The equipment on these school grounds will be similar to that on the other grounds.

It is estimated that it will be necessary to raise \$57,000 for salaries in the ten large school playgrounds, and \$10,000 for the twenty other schools mentioned. The cost of betterments has been estimated at \$31,000 for all of the school grounds concerned. This latter item of expense will not need to be repeated soon as it will consist largely of permanent improvements.

If the whole budget asked for is allowed the following playground activities will be made possible to a greater or less extent on practically every school ground in the city.

The major athletic sports will be baseball, track and field, soccer, football, swimming, tennis, volleyball, German ball and hand ball. The minor sports are basketball and Rugby football. Leagues will be organized and rules and regulations governing competitions will be similar to those now governing the activities of the regular playgrounds of the city.

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## PLAYGROUNDS PREPARE ADMISSION DAY EVENT

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EUROPE'S WAR WILL  
BE LAST ONE FOUGHT.

Isaiah and the other prophets of his day were not the only ones endowed with the ability to look into the future; there have been many men inspired by Infinity since that time. To Isaiah, however, belongs the credit for having first predicted the ending of war when he said:

They shall beat their swords into plowshares and their spears into pruning hooks; nation shall not lift up the sword against nation; neither shall they learn war any more.

This forecast was general in its tenor and not nearly so specific as that by Alfred Tennyson some thousands of years later in one of his wonderful poems. In that marvelous verse, written long before the airships was considered practical or even a possibility, this great man penned the following:

"For I dipped into the future, far as human eye could see,  
Saw the vision of the world, and all the wonder that would be;  
Saw the heavens fill with commerce, argosies of magic sails,  
Pilots of the purple twilight, dropping down with costly bales;  
Heard the heavens fill with shouting, and there rained a ghastly

From the nation's airy navies grappling in the central blue;  
Far along the world-wide whisper of the south wind rushing warm,  
With the standards of the peoples plunging through the thunder-storm,  
Till the war drum throbbed no longer, and the battle flags were furled  
In the parliament of man, the federation of the world."

The nation's airy navies have already begun "grappling in the heavens" and from the sky the "ghastly dew" is falling in the shape of death-dealing bombs which spread terror wherever used. The standards of the peoples are waving in the thunderstorm of combat which ere it ends will be the most devastating earth has ever witnessed. But out of all will come the condition where no longer will throb the war drum and the battle banner will be furled forever.

Tolstoi predicted this war years ago, the only error in his prophecy being that he fixed 1913 as the year for the commencement of the strife, and like Tennyson he outlined the federation of the nations when war should be no more. Nogi, the Japanese hero of Port Arthur, immediately following the siege, said all Europe would soon be a great battle ground; that France and Germany would meet in this last decisive conflict in the Belgian plains, probably near Waterloo, the only spot which will permit of the evolutions by the great armies facing each other. Nogi declared France would beat Germany on land and England would crush Germany at sea. He concluded:

This war will be the last in Europe and perhaps forever. The German states will emerge so exhausted and so terrified that they have no other object than to form some coalition that may in the future obviate the recurrence of any such catastrophe.

Nogi may have been inaccurate as to his prediction as to the victor, but that he was accurate in declaring war would doubtless cease forever as a result of this great struggle will be demonstrated at the termination of the present conflict. The world's peoples will be heartsick at the thousands slain and maimed, and impressed by the destruction of property. They will demand peace and enforce that demand by inaugurating new systems where the will of the people will be the supreme law of the land and where governments will derive their just powers from the consent of the governed. When that day shall have arrived Christian men and women all over the earth, and men and women not Christian who believe in the goodness of Deity, will be able to say with our own Lincoln "that the dead shall have not died in vain, that the nations, under God shall have a new birth of freedom and that government of the people, by the people and for the people shall not perish from the earth."

The soldiers who are falling in the strife today, and the women and children who are weeping for their dead are the martyrs in this cause. Out of the battle smoke and terror, out of the mists that hover over the fields strewn with the bodies of the dead will come the sunshine. It is indeed a fearful price to pay, but it looks as if the Higher Destiny had so willed it, and if so His Will Be Done.

If Europe's warring kings were all in one hand it would be invincible, but as matters stand the pot will be divided.

The olive trade in Seville is only half a crop, the other olive growing countries of Europe are torn by war. Looks as if California might pick up a little revenue over there later on.

The Kaiser evidently neglected to read the comments of the late J. Caesar before sending his troops across Belgium.

"Ao Bpfae Aytjinjom" is said to be the war cry of the Serbs. It looks like a "pi" line and we do not know how it sounds, but it looks as if it would make a fellow trying to pronounce it so mad he would fight anything.

About the only place the dove of peace can find rest seems to be in our own United States.

Germany bought 1435 automobiles of America last year at a cost of \$1,059,249; France took 1429 for \$924,130, and England 7222 for \$5,853,127 and indications are that a lot of them have been pressed into the military service.

GROSS RUNNING WELL  
FOR CLERK OF COUNTY.

City Auditor and Assessor George E. Gross, who is making the race for county clerk, is a man who by his work in the position he now holds, and in places preceding, has shown ability second to no one. As custodian of the records of the county and charged with the many other duties appertaining to the place, Mr. Gross will achieve still greater distinction.

It is gratifying to Mr. Gross and his friends to note all over the county a spontaneity of opinion in his favor and hundreds of voluntary tenders of support. These have been so frequent during the past few weeks that it looks as if Mr. Gross will be selected for the office at the primary election next Tuesday.

Why not settle the war by letting the kaiser and the czar or all the crowned heads get into a ten-acre field and fight it out amongst themselves. Thus many innocent lives would be saved. Many of the rank and file only know they are fighting soldiers of another nationality against whom they have no personal grievance.

Millions for the Red Cross but not a cent for ammunition should be the American slogan.

Gee! Villa has assumed the role of pacificator.

Moving picture men and war correspondents apparently have little chance in the European struggle.

According to Earl Kitchener the European war is to last eighteen months. In such an event there will be little left to fight over and few left to do the fighting.

Good news from the front. Anna Held escaped from Paris before the outbreak of hostilities. It is hard to hold Anna.

NEWS ITEM---Aviation will play an important part in the  
present struggle.



ARIZONA'S TRIBUTE TO  
THE PROSPECTOR'S BURRO.

Arizona has decreed that within the limits of the State the burro shall be free of taxes so long as he is the property of a prospector. This is a tribute to the useful animal by the newest State in the Union that will be appreciated and is highly appropriate, although the Legislature might have gone farther and exempted the patient beast from taxation, no matter who owned him.

The burro is entitled to consideration because of the deeds of his ancestors. He is as old as the cause of human hope, for the Man of Galilee used him as a vehicle on His triumphant entry into Jerusalem when the children strewed palms and sang "Hosannah to the Son of David." Because of the fact that the burro carried the Savior of the World tradition has it that he was given the privilege of ever wearing the passion cross which marks the thoroughbred among the section of the horse family.

To the burro civilization owes much. He has been the companion of the pathfinder always. He has carried his burdens over the high mountains and through desert wastes. Always patient and contented with little, the burro has led the way from east to west, following the star of empire in its course, never complaining, but ever and ever plodding forward. There has been no step too steep, no path too precipitous. No obstacle has been too great to surmount, no trail too dangerous. Sure-footed and sure-eyed, the burro has overcome everything that barred the way and to him is due in a large measure the settlement of the great areas west of the Rocky Mountains.

The world of finance owes a great debt to the burro. He carried the tools of the seeker after minerals and was the walking commissariat. He has penetrated the fastnesses where the rich veins were found and many times has "toted" out the sacks of dust that put new life in the arteries of trade. Through sunshine or storm he has endured hardships that none but a burro could stand. Many times he has been a martyr and has died to save the life of the man who owned him, when all other sources of food failed.

His record is one of usefulness since he first stood in the pathway where halted by the angel and complained to Balaam that he ought not be abused because of having been stopped by the heavenly messenger, down to date. He has been an emissary of good ever more and in his humble way is entitled to as much praise as any builder of nations. Small wonder that Arizona gives him consideration and may the example be emulated.

The discovery of a stone ball near Rome is said to lead to the belief that the ancient Latins played golf. Possibly, and if so the fact of the balls being stone is in accord with the conditions. The prize ring gladiators of Rome used lead and other hard material for boxing gloves.

It is announced that a new pontiff may be chosen at The Hague. But the college of cardinals will do well to await the possibilities of a bombardment of the peace palace before taking action.

That Kansas barber who got full of hair tonic and kicked in the fronts of several stores before being arrested appears to have solved the prohibition question, although we cannot say we admire his taste for intoxicants.

INTERESTING BITS

Generally speaking, a medal is a form of decoration which costs more than it is worth.  
Before the women start their work of elevating society they should put on more clothes.  
The best way for an old married man to test his breeding endurance is to go in for a vacation.  
You may have observed that the gentler the truth the more one tries to put it over.  
If the play is a frost the audience soon melts away.  
Malaria begins with a chill and ends with a fever. Love begins with a fever and ends with a chill.  
Children are little and a meal and a meal as they grow older.  
Speaking of the rewards of early rising, the janitor continues to beat the boss down to the shop.  
People haven't such a high regard for the honest confession which drifts in as state's evidence.  
Turn a few days before it is over to rest. Vacations are no rest.  
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Twenty Years  
Ago Today

The business license ordinance received a staggering blow in the dismissal of the case of Thomas Agnew, the insurance man arrested for violation of the ordinance. Emil Nussbaumer, who defended Agnew, claimed that under the charter of 1852 the council had no power to pass an ordinance licensing insurance men, and in fact, that only liquor dealers, peddlers and liveries stable men could be licensed. The prosecution conceded the point, and Judge Allen ordered the case dismissed.

There was a great deal of excitement about the Universal Restaurant on Seventh street, opposite Broadway station. It was occasioned by the piercing screams of a woman. It was discovered that the screams came from a woman named who had so tightly laced her corset stars that one of them broke and its jagged ends lacerated her skin, causing her a great amount of agony. The discovery of the cause of the pain was not made until the woman's sister, who was with her at the time, opened her dress and brought forth the offending stay, the ends of which were as sharp, almost, as a knife.

Dynamite guns do not appear to be much of a success, after all, on board cruisers, for the Vesuvius is to be converted into a torpedo boat, and the cumbersome pneumatic tubes used for throwing dynamite are to be removed. Edward Harrigan and his fine company of players appeared before a large audience at the Macdonough theater and scored a hit in "Rally and the 400," "Old Lavender" is next on the bill.

The following Oaklanders were granted licenses to marry: Benjamin Churchill Clay and Flora Frances Becker, Harry George Kendall and Zillah Eadon, Henry Schwartz and Maggie Lillian Hall, August Deme and Lena Hanson. Following transfers were made in the fire department at a meeting of the board. James Galavan, foreman of engine No. 2, promoted to the newly created position of steward of hose No. 3; Thomas Keating, foreman of hose No. 3, transferred to position of foreman of engine No. 2. N. B. Veil extra man on truck No. 3, promoted to position of foreman of hose No. 3.

NEW BROWNING POEM

An unpublished poem by Elizabeth Barrett Browning, wife of Robert Browning and writer of the "Sonnets from the Portuguese" and "Aurora Leigh" is printed in the Cornhill Magazine. It was written to Robert Lytton ("Owen Meredith"), the eldest son of Lord Lytton, the novelist, during his stay with the Brownings in Florence in 1853. The following are four verses:  
O noble heart, noble soul, live  
Our leader, and king of us all!  
Take the love which we languish to give;  
Give the love without which we must fall.  
An eye that looks straight on to God,  
And a tongue that can baffle the devil,  
A wit that walks forth silver-shod,  
And sets a fair front against evil.  
When you speak—as you speak—I think  
Paul,  
At Athens, posterity teaching,  
Said such words, thought such thoughts,  
Such grand language as yours, in his  
preaching.  
Light and warmth—the whole of you  
piling  
Its own magnificent gladness:  
But he that would prove your wise smiling,  
Must have probed all the sources of  
sadness.

FAME'S PATHWAY

American women at Paris are, as usual, foremost in the work of preparing for the care of the wounded.  
Mrs. Van Allen Shields is organizing a Red Cross corps at the American Artists' Club.  
Mrs. Herrick, wife of the United States ambassador; Mrs. Potter Palmer and Mrs. Carolan, a daughter of Mr. Pullman, have applied to be associated with the American Red Cross.  
Dr. Maguin, the originator of the movement for an American Red Cross hospital, said that practically every American society woman in Paris is coming forward to act as a nurse. One of the first applicants was Mrs. Caroline Frank, aged 77, who served throughout the Franco-Prussian war.  
A trust fund yielding \$100 a month is provided for Dame Gertrude, a sister in St. Mary's abbey, a Benedictine convent in Stanbrook, Worcester county, Eng. though she is a noted dresser she has not land, should she desire to give up her religious life and again enter the world, in the will of Catharine A. F. Cassanova, who died in Naples, Italy, May 15, 1914, which was filed recently for probate in the surrogate court, New York. The Gertrude is Sebastiana Cassanova, a daughter of the testatrix.  
Mrs. Cassanova left an estate which is said to be large.  
Lady Newborough, who was Miss Carr of Kentucky and is acknowledged to be one of the most beautiful women of the British peerage, was the belle of the most brilliant garden party given last week by Lady Beatty (Miss Ethel Field of Chicago) at her town residence, Hanover Lodge, Hanover Gate, Regent's Park.  
Lady Newborough is said to wear a pink silk and lace with wild roses in a lace hat. Some consider her handsomer than her sister, Mrs. Cecil Bingham (Mrs. S. S. Chumey of New York), but although she is a noted dresser she has not land, should she desire to give up her

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LOVE BOND WILL INSURE MARRIAGE

Rich Man to Educate Girl Who Is to Become Wife.

LOS ANGELES, Aug. 21.—With a "love bond" of \$2000 and a threatened sentence of ten years hanging over him, Charles H. Turner, member of a wealthy St. Louis, Mo., family and direct descendant of Pierre Chouteau, who founded that city in 1763, has started to educate Miss Valeria Alvey, aged 15, to become his wife.

The bonds to insure that his heart will not change and that her education will be completed. The threatened ten-year sentence is to remind Turner that punishment awaits him if he does not right the wrong he has done.

The arrangements for educating the young woman were made by Judge Gavin Craig in the criminal court today, and Turner is at liberty under the most unusual set of circumstances ever recorded in the Superior Court.

Following his plea of guilty to having seduced the girl, Attorney William Durham made an effective appeal for Turner's behalf and Judge Craig then said:

"You say you love the girl and want to right the wrong by marrying her. I will not consent to the marriage of a girl of 15, but am going to remedy the matter of her age by having you educate the girl until she is old enough to marry."

"If you don't make good, the penitentiary awaits you. The child is to be placed under the supervision of a good physician for two years. For this you are to pay \$25 a month. Then she is to be placed in an excellent school and her education completed. When she reaches her majority you may marry her if she still wishes to marry you."

"Now this is for you."

"First, you must deposit a bond of \$2000 to insure good faith and performance of the obligations. You must get work and live by your own efforts and without contributions from your family. All prospective husbands should be good workers. You are forbidden to enter into any flirtation. You must give a monthly account of your actions and show that the girl's expenses have been paid."

"There is but one code of morals. If you are to have the girl, you must make her into a woman. If you follow these instructions I will make you a present of your complete liberty on your wedding day. If you don't, you will go to the penitentiary."

Turner promised and secured a bond.

At the time of his arrest Turner represented the girl to be his wife.

ABANDONS FIGHT FOR SHARE OF BIG ESTATE

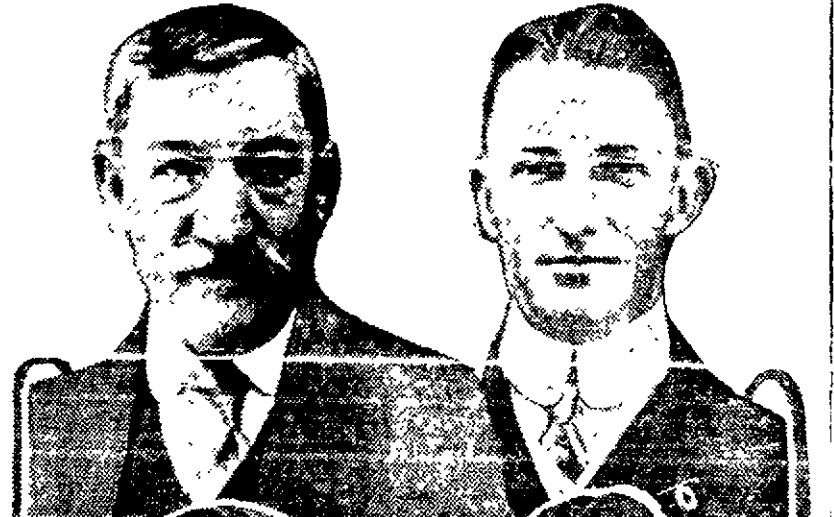
SAN DIEGO, Aug. 21.—Through her attorney, James McLachlan of Los Angeles, Madame Katharine Tingley of the Universal Brotherhood and Theosophical Society at Point Loma, has abandoned her four years' fight for a share of the \$400,000 estate of Harriet P. Thurston, formerly of Newcastle, Pa.

Mrs. Thurston died July 21, 1910, when 74 years old, and shortly after her marriage to Clark Thurston, 70 years old, a disciple of Madame Tingley. A will executed two months before her death leaving the bulk of the estate to Madame Tingley, was broken two years ago after a three months' trial on a contest instituted by George L. Patterson, a son of Mrs. Thurston by her first husband.

The estate will now be distributed as if no will existed, one-third to the husband and the remaining two-thirds will be divided among the three children, George and William Patterson and Mrs. Julia P. Quinn of Point Loma.

BUTCHERS TO CELEBRATE WILL DANCE ALL NIGHT

OFFICIALS IN CHARGE OF BUTCHERS' DAY FESTIVITIES: TOP (LEFT TO RIGHT): AL COSET AND H. OSTERHOFF, SECRETARY, LOWER (LEFT TO RIGHT): H. KRIEGER AND A. G. MILLER. BELOW IS JOSEPH O. LEVY, CHAIRMAN OF BALL COMMITTEE.



The butchers' ball to be given tomorrow night in Maple Hall, under the auspices of Oakland Local No. 120, promises to be an event in the history of the organization and the community in charge are bending every effort to give their guests, their members and families a good time. The committee of arrangements consists of Joseph O. Levy (chairman), H. Osterhoff (secretary), A. G. Miller, Al Coset and A. Krieger. It has been decided to hold an all-night dance and there will be all of the new steps as well as the old but popular dances on the program.

A joint butchers' day celebration, under the auspices of Unions 113 and 508, will be held in Schuster Park, San Rafael, on Sunday, September 6, and aside from dancing and picnicking all sorts of outdoor sports will be prepared for both young and old. Schuster Park is admirably situated for this kind of an affair, and from reports received by the committee of arrangements a record-breaking crowd is anticipated.

FIVE KILLED AS AUTO PLUNGES FROM BRIDGE

NORTH BEND, Ore., Aug. 21.—Five persons were killed outright yesterday and two hurt when an automobile owned by J. Blufford Davis went through the county bridge across Pony street and dropped twenty feet. The dead are J. Blufford Davis, wealthy rancher of North Bend; Chris Peterson, Marshfield, saloonkeeper; James Wassen, Marshfield, fisherman; John Negithon and William Worth, Willamette inlet, ranchers. Davis, who was driving, lost control of the steering gear at a sharp turn at the approach to the bridge.

DEFER ROAD'S DIVIDEND

NEWARK, N.J., Aug. 21.—The Chesapeake and Ohio railroad board yesterday decided to defer the regular quarterly dividend of 1 per cent, usually declared at this time.

NEWLANDS EXPENSES \$275

WASHINGTON, Aug. 21.—Senator Newlands of Nevada spent only \$275 in the primary race for renomination, according to his expense account filed yesterday with the Secretary of the Senate.

No Bar—A Store Where Ladies Can Shop—Open Evenings.

**SOME SATURDAY BARGAINS**

We give S. & H. Stamps on Everything. Saturday Specials

**"Bit" Cigars**

One full quart bottle WOODLEAF or SCOTTYBROOK WHISKY \$1.00

One full quart PORT \$1.00

Both For \$1.00

Tomorrow you can choose from any "bit" cigar at the Yosemite. Only one of each of these Specials to each customer.

**SWEET WINES REDUCED**

Bottled in bond—

VALLEY FALLS, full q. \$1.00

A smooth, velvety, palatable Whiskey, sold everywhere for \$1.25

OLD KENTUCKY—full quart 95c

SUPERIOR DRY GIN 70c

RECHU GIN—full quart 95c

The Beer with the creamy foam.

**Shasta Beer**

2 DOZEN PINTS or DOZEN QUARTS \$1.00

**CIGAR DEPARTMENT, San Pablo Store Only.**

(25c Cigars, 10c; 10c Tobacco, 2 for 25c; 5c Tobacco, 5 for 25c; Ovals, El Wador, El Meritos, Remova, Crown, R. B.'s 7 for 25c.)

**Yosemite WINE CO.**

PHONE LAKESIDE 123 FREE QUICK DELIVERY

1432 San Pablo Ave., Opposite 15th Street

The Final Week of the Great "Shoe Fly" Sale

Tomorrow begins the final week of the great "SHOE-FLY" Sale, offering the biggest attractions of the entire sale. We have done some immense selling during this sale, but we expect to break some records this week, not only for BIG SALES, but also for BARGAIN SELLING of fine Summer Shoes. The assortments of sizes in the Shoes offered are complete, but the PRICES are SHATTERED, so that means wonderful opportunities for you. Don't fail to take advantage of them—many new fall styles added at "SHOE-FLY" Sale prices. Double S. & H. Green Stamps till 1 p. m. daily.



**SHOE-FLY SALE**

Mrs. A. R. King's Kant-Slip \$1.50 quality Tan Calf Children's Shoes. Sizes

Men's \$3.50 and \$4.00 Tan Calf and Lotus Calf Button and Blucher Shoes

Boys' TAN CALF AND LOTUS SCOUTING SHOES

Big Boys' 2 1/2 to 6 \$1.95

Ladies' \$1.50 and \$2.00 Over-gaiters, white and gray; also fawn colors. Scarce elsewhere at even the regular prices. "SHOE-FLY" Price. 95c

STORE OPEN SATURDAY EVENING TILL 10 O'CLOCK. TOYS FREE TO CHILDREN

We Give S. & H. Green Stamps Free With Every Purchase. Double Stamps Till 1 p. m.

**ROYALSHOECO.**

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SAN FRANCISCO STORE—786 MARKET STREET, OPPOSITE FOURTH STREET.

PIONEER JAMES SMILIE IS DEAD

Contractor Who Built Many Prominent Structures, Passes Away.

The funeral of James Alexander Smilie, a retired capitalist and pioneer contractor of this city, will be held tomorrow afternoon from the family residence, 425 Fallon street.

The death of "Honest Jim" Smilie came as a severe shock to his colleagues and former business associates, as whom he was highly esteemed. In the early days he was one of the leading contractors of California. He constructed many of the largest and most important buildings on the Pacific Coast and was the builder of the local city hall and the local city court house and the local city hall and the local city court house.

HOME CLUB MEMBERS PLAN MANY ACTIVITIES

The Home Club will open on the third of September with a dinner at which all members of the club will be present. The club has been organized for the purpose of promoting the interests of the home and the family. The club has been organized for the purpose of promoting the interests of the home and the family.

GRANTED FILING DELAY

WASHINGTON, Aug. 21.—American who have not as yet registered their titles to land in the state of Tamaulipas, Mex., will be granted sixty days' grace to comply with the law. This notice was received by the state department today from the governor of Tamaulipas through the American vice-consul in charge at Tampico. The extension is dated August 17, 1914.

ROB S. F. RESIDENCE

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 21.—The residence of Mrs. J. Webster, 2973 Folsom, was ransacked by burglars during the night and they secured the amount of \$150.

**\$20,000 STOCK OF**

**Electric Fixtures**

Announcement to the Fixture-Buying Public of Oakland, Berkeley and Alameda

We wish to make acknowledgement of the splendid manner in which the fixture-buying public have responded to our present selling campaigns. We have sold dozens of orders for Electric Fixtures as a result of two days' advertising. Many of these orders go into the most exclusive homes now building in the bay cities. We cite this fact because we want you to know that we have the goods and can deliver. We have not failed to sell one customer during this sale. Moral: Our prices can not be duplicated in Oakland. Note the following: We are actually selling Portables, Reading Lamps and Desk Lamps for one-third to one-half regular prices. Come in and let us SHOW YOU prices reduced on ALL Fixtures from 40% to 65%. If you do not know the Williams Electric Fixture Company you are missing the one opportunity to buy fixtures at or less than manufacturers' prices.

BEAR IN MIND—THIS SALE CLOSES WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 26TH, AT 10 P. M.

We will accept a reasonable deposit on your order and hold the same until your house is ready for fixtures.

**SOME OF OUR BARGAINS**

Verd hall lamp 1, 10,638; reg \$7.50; now \$2.50

No. 4344; 4 lt.; reg. \$9; now \$4.00

No. 3333 3 lt.; reg. \$8; now \$3.00

No. 13,463 4 lt.; reg. \$15; now \$7.50

No. 3686 3 lt.; reg. \$9; now \$4.00

No. 3232 3 lt.; reg. \$10; now \$3.50

No. 5999 5 lt.; reg. \$15; now \$6.00

No. 1117 5 lt.; reg. \$15; now \$7.50

No. 440 4 lt.; reg. \$16.50; now \$7.00

No. 400 4 lt.; reg. \$10; now \$5.00

No. 497 4 lt.; reg. \$12; now \$6.00

No. 340 3 lt.; reg. \$13.50; now \$6.00

No. 347a 3 lt.; reg. \$17.50; now \$8.50

**Dining Room Domes**

We are stocked with a large assortment of Dining Room Domes that range in original retail selling prices from \$7.50 to \$100.00. They go at prices from \$1.50 to \$40.00

**Table Lamps, Desk Lamps, Reading Lamps**

1 to 1 Regular 3 to 2 Retail Price

**EUROPEAN WAR CAUSES HEAVY RUN ON LIBRARY**

The war is causing quite a stir at the Oakland Library. The new magazines are at a premium and the big atlas is surrounded by a crowd of interested people pouring over the Balkan-German border line. Histories of all the nations, especially those dealing with modern times after the reconstruction of 1914 are at a premium. Great interest is also taken in The Hague Peace Conference and in the differing plans of organization of Europe. Public opinion is in the fact that books on the home and overseas of warfare are eagerly sought after, especially Tolstoy's "War and Peace" and "The Balkan War Drama" by C. Campbell. "A History of the House of Austria" by W. C. C. Alexinsky's "Modern Russia," "The Life and Sufferings of the Jews in Russia" by Boyarsky, and "Hungary's Fight for National Existence" by H. Von Mengervar.

**Imported Italian Alabaster Bowls**

IN LARGE ASSORTMENT

We have just received the largest shipment of imported fringe for domes or individual lamps ever received in Oakland. Make your old lamp look new with this fringe.

**WILLIAMS' FIXTURE CO.**

566 18th Street NEAR SAN PABLO AVE. Phone Oakland 5590

Store Open Every Evening During Sale Until 9:30.



## SEVERE STORM SPREADS DEATH

WILKESBARRE, Pa., Aug. 21.—Five persons are dead, seven seriously injured and forty others less seriously hurt, in this city, as the result of a severe electrical storm, approaching a cyclone in force, which

the Heights and part of Wilkesbarre township.

The dead—  
ANNA BURNETSKY, aged 18.  
JOSEPH GRIFITHS, 50, watchman.

J. SMITH, 17.  
HELEN BRAZILSKY, aged 5.  
JOSEPH KRAZIEG, aged 9.

The children and two of the dead girls lost their lives in a silk mill.

Several other girl employees at the mill were injured.

Between 100 and 150 houses in Wilkesbarre were wrecked. The Hill-side Congregational church was moved by its foundation. The cyclone came without warning and abated just as suddenly, after varying destruction over a limited area.

The property loss is put at hundreds of thousands of dollars.

## BABY SCARRED FOR LIFE BY ARROW

BERKELEY, Aug. 21.—An arrow shot at random by small boys armed with a bow and quiver struck the little daughter of Mrs. J. Silverfoot of 2620 Sixth street on the cheek, inflicting a wound which will leave her face scarred for life.

The police sought this morning for the shooting, and they will be dealt with severely if found.

The little girl, who is five years old, was playing in the yard of her mother's home, watching the antics of the boys with the bow. One of them suddenly raised the weapon, an arrow poised on the cord, and let fly in her direction.

The arrow struck the child on the left cheek, its sharp point tearing its way into the flesh, and washing her cheek with a warm stream of blood.

The child was summoned and taken to the hospital, where it was found necessary to take several sutures to close the wound.

POSTMASTERS CLOSE SESSION.

ST. PAUL, Minn., Aug. 21.—Washington, D. C., was selected as the 1915 meeting place by the National Postmasters' Association at the closing session of a three-day convention here last night.

## SEEKS SHARE OF ESTATE Mrs. Howard Gould Makes Mission Known



### Petitions for Letters in Estate of Her Mother

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 21.—Mrs. Howard Gould, who, in company with a companion, slipped quietly into town this week, made known her mission to the court yesterday when, through her attorney, Henry C. McPike, she filed a petition in the San Jose Superior Court for letters of administration in the estate of her mother, Mrs. Martha Lavan. The estate in probate consists of properties in the Santa Clara valley of a possible valuation



MRS. HOWARD GOULD.

of \$100,000. The estate was left to three heirs named in the will of Mrs. Lavan, who died last March, these being Mrs. Howard Gould (Viola Katherine Gould), her stepfather J. W. Dayan of Palo Alto, and Mrs. Gould's sister, Ella Alay, who, a number of years ago, became Mrs. Wong Sun Yue, and who has for a long time operated a Chinese curio store in San Francisco's Chinatown. McPike said he expected no difficulties in securing the letters.

Probate Court has set the hearing of the petition for September 4.

Mrs. Gould, since her arrival here, has been stopping at the Palace Hotel. She recently returned to this country from Paris after several years abroad.

Since her return to this country, her husband, who is now paying her \$36,000 a year alimony under separate decree, to protect her dower interest in a million-dollar parcel of real estate on Fifth avenue. She also has sued him for alimony on the ground that since last fall he has failed to pay her the full amount due.

## President Gives Up His Week-end Trip

WASHINGTON, Aug. 21.—President Wilson decided definitely today not to take a week-end trip on the Mayflower, feeling it necessary to remain in Washington over Sunday because of the many pressing questions growing out of the European war.

## SEARCHES COUNTRY FOR TRACE OF LOST KITTEN

Directing operations from her home in New York, Mrs. Minnie Madden Fleke, the actress, is making a transcontinental search for a wee white kitten which she lost on a train smutched on its nose. The cat used to travel with its mistress in a luxurious private car. Now it is a forlorn little wanderer and the great artist is torn with grief.

## IMPROVES HEAR CANDIDATES.

An open meeting of the Lake View Woman's Club, at which a number of candidates for public office spoke, was held this afternoon in the Assembly hall of the new Lake View school. A large number of interested persons from the Lake View district as well as the members of the re-organizing organization attended the affair, which was presided over by Mrs. E. J. Dall.

## WOMAN KILLED.

LINCOLN, Neb., Aug. 21.—A torpedo last evening, at Harvard, sixty miles west of Lincoln, killed one woman, injured several persons and destroyed much property. Communication is interrupted.

## Temblor Rocks City and Prison of Como

ROME, Aug. 21 (delayed in transmission).—A strong earthquake shock was felt at Como yesterday, and caused great alarm. The people of the city rushed into the streets. The inmates of the San Donato prison had a bad scare, as they believed the ancient building might collapse. The prisoners include Porter Charlton, an American, awaiting trial for the murder of his wife at Lake Como in 1910.

## WOMAN ROBS SAILOR.

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 21.—When a woman named Marie arrived from Honolulu yesterday, Thomas Pickel was paid off. He received \$124 and decided to make a tour of the Barbary Coast. He spent considerable of the money and had over \$100 left when he met an entertainer employed at one of the dance halls. The woman picked his pocket, taking all his money, when he discovered the theft he made his way to the central police station to make his report.

## AUCTION SALES

J. A. MUNRO & CO., AUCTIONEERS.

1007 Clay street, corner Tenth street, phone Oakland 4273. Will pay highest price paid for merchandise, furniture, etc., or will sell on commission. Sales every Friday.

## WIFE, 21, ENDS LIFE AFTER QUARREL

Believing a quarrel with her husband as to whether she could be permitted to go out to work Mrs. Bertha Davis, 21 years of age, committed suicide shortly before 5 o'clock this morning by swallowing strychnine at her home, 7232 Orval street. The young woman was dead before the police arrived.

Davis and her wife had a lengthy altercation this morning as to whether she would permit her to go out to work. She had complained about the finances of the family and wanted to work in a cannery in Melrose. Davis opposed this plan, telling her that her duty was to remain at home and care for the children and that

THREATENS TO LEAVE HIM.

"I was told as I was going to leave," Mrs. Davis told her husband. To end the argument he left the house and went to the barn at the rear to milk the cow. A few moments later Mrs. Davis staggered into the yard and fell prostrate.

Davis telephoned to Dr. Joseph Hamilton but the physician was engaged in performing an operation and notified the Melrose police to obtain a physician. The woman died before the police arrived. The body was removed to the branch morgue by Deputy Coroner Cooper and an inquest will be held.

## DRESS WELL

On a \$ A WEEK

Small deposit.

Full line

Fall Suits

and

Overcoats

Columbia Outfitting Co.

385 12th Street, Nr. Franklin.

## SPANISH-AMERICAN WAR VETERANS NAME TICKET

### Endorse Knowland for Senator and Urge Election of County Candidates

The Bolo Club of Alameda County, which has for its members the vast majority of all those who served during the Spanish-American War and which is a Non-Partisan political organization, looking after the welfare of those who served their country in time of war, at a recent meeting endorsed the following candidates:

- For United States Senator.....Honorable Joseph R. Knowland
  - For County Clerk.....George E. Gross
  - For Auditor.....E. F. Garrison
  - For Treasurer.....M. J. Kelly
  - For Assessor.....C. E. Horner
  - For Tax Collector.....James H. Barber
  - For Recorder.....G. W. Bacon
  - For Public Administrator.....H. B. Mehrmann
- All veterans have been notified of the above endorsement and immediate action will be taken to see that the great body of veterans will support the candidates mentioned.

## We've got 'em

If you want to see what the smartly dressed women are wearing on Fifth avenue, New York, right now, come to Cosgrave's and just look around. You're welcome. The very

## LATEST IDEAS

are embodied in the large shipments arriving by express daily. Those nifty long coat suit effects with the new skirt, positively the very last word in styles—wide assortment from which to select—in fact, all the wanted modes, materials and shades.

## COATS in Beited Effects. All lengths

YOU ARE WELCOME TO CREDIT LIBERAL TERMS.

COSGRAVE CLOAKS SUIT HOUSE 1224 & FRANKLIN STS. OAKLAND



—a tip Remember—the Tunic Skirt is becoming to many styled figures and will be popular throughout the entire season. Buy now—get a season's wear.



Victrola IV ..... \$15.00  
Other Styles ... \$25 to \$200

## TERMS

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## ENDLESS PLEASURE FOR THE ENTIRE HOUSEHOLD

The Victrola gives everybody the kind of music they like best—as they want it and when they want it. You come in and hear your favorite music and at the same time find out how easily you get a Victrola.

Our Record Service is unequalled. Victor, Columbia and Edison Records and we always have the one you want.

## Central Phonograph Parlors

WILFRID B. STYLES, Manager.  
388 Twelfth St., near Franklin

## PAUL T. CARROLL, INC.

# 1/2 Price-Closing Out Sale-1/2 Price

### STORE FOR RENT--FIXTURES FOR SALE

All lines of Men's Hats, Shirts, Underwear, Collars and Hosiery, in fact everything is on sale at greatly reduced prices. Some of these lines the results of much selling, while others are in better assortment than at any time since the beginning of our sale, due to the receipt of recent shipments not countermanded. This is especially true of our Hat Department, where may be found the very latest novelties in Blue, Brown, Agate or Nile colorings with contrasted trimmings or the most staple styles in shape and color, several new models having arrived.

As you will observe by the items mentioned below, we are selling both the newest ideas as well as the regular stock at reduced prices.



\$5.00 Knox Hats,  
\$2.50

Every Knox Derby, Soft or Straw Hat; regular \$5.00 grades, on sale one-half price ..... \$2.50

\$7.50 Panamas, \$3.75  
Genuine Panama Hats, imported from South America; regular \$7.50 values, on sale one-half price ..... \$3.75

\$2.00 Pajamas, \$1  
15 dozen Madras Pajamas, blue and white, black and white and tan and white; reg. \$2.00 suit. On sale one-half price ..... \$1.00 Suit

\$2.00 Union Suits, \$1.00  
10 dozen famous Interlock stitch ribbed Union Suits; also a line of fancy striped suits; regular \$2.00 grades, on sale one-half price. \$1.00 Suit.

Arrow Collars, 4 for 25c  
All styles now included—nothing reserved. All size in several shapes. Some shapes broken in sizes, but everyone can be pleased. Saturday 4 for ..... 25c

\$1.50 Arrow Shirts, 75c  
Another lot of Arrow Shirts; the season's newest patterns. Reg. \$1.50 grades on sale one-half price ..... 75c



\$3.50 De Luxe Hats  
\$2.85

25 dozen very latest styles Soft Hats; blue, brown, green or agate. New ideas in bands and trimmings; also all Stetson \$4.00 Hats included at this price

\$2.85

\$3.00 Carroll  
Hats, \$1.50

Carroll Derbies and Soft Hats; all styles; a very large selection; regular \$3.00 grades. On sale one-half price, \$1.50.

\$3.00 Straw Hats  
\$1.00  
All Straw Hats on sale. Latest models. Will be in good style next season. Regular \$3.00 grades ..... \$1.00

25c Park Mill Hose, 2 for 25c  
All colors and black mercerized lisle; regular 25c sox. On sale one-half price ..... 2 for 25c

\$1.50 Winsted Underwear 75c  
Winsted Underwear. Gray wool; super weight; sold in suits only. Regular \$1.50 grades on sale while they last, one-half price ..... 75c

50c Fancy Scarfs, 25c  
Latest styles fancy Four-in-Hands and Washable Neckwear; regular 50c grades on sale one-half price ..... 25c



Extra Size Shirts, 16 1/2, 17, 17 1/2, 18, Regular \$2.50, \$2.00, \$1.50 Grades, on Sale 75c Each; 3 for \$2.00

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MIDDLEWEIGHTS AN ARGUMENT

LUCKY VICTORY FOR OAKS,  
BUT IT'S TRUE LUCK SMILED

GRUNAN, PROTEGE OF FOLEY,  
GETS HIS CHANCE TONIGHT

WHEELMEN'S PAVILION PLACED  
AT DISPOSAL OF MARATHONERS

Seals Within Two Points of Second Division Game Effort Wrests Victory From Venice

TY COBB'S TEMPERAMENT  
HARD ON REPUTATION  
OF NATIONAL GAME

Georgia Peach Has Gained  
Fame and Fortune, but  
Given Baseball Little.

Ty Cobb has made about everything a human heart can desire out of life. Fame and fortune have come out of his marvelous baseball ability, but has Ty done as much for the game as the game has done for him?

He has been named as the greatest player of all time by those whose opinion is carried over wherever the American pastime is known. He has won the Chalmers trophy, with the highest percentage of points ever scored by any player. He is perhaps a bigger man in his native state today than his politicians. In return, what has Ty Cobb done for the game?

Cobb has made the state of Georgia as well known as the state of Massachusetts. He has drawn many thousands of people to the state of Georgia. He has made the state of Georgia as well known as the state of Massachusetts. He has drawn many thousands of people to the state of Georgia.

Many patrons who were attracted to the games found the players did not act on the diamond much like their idea of how they should. The players were not as good as the players of the past. The players were not as good as the players of the past.

NEVILLE STILL STAYS  
IN BIG TOURNEY

CHICAGO, Aug. 21.—Play continued today in the National open golf championship. Walter C. Hazen of Rochester is high man with a total of 147, and is figured to have the best chance for the title. Francis Ouimet, defending his title, showed splendid form yesterday. Tom McNamara of Boston is another player who is in the money. He is in second place now, with 148, two points better than Ouimet.

AMATEUR BASEBALL

The Athenian Club's ball team will meet the Oakland Commercial Club nine Saturday afternoon, September 13, at the Oakland College park in a benefit game that is expected to appeal strongly to the smart set and children. The proceeds will be divided between the Alameda County Society for the Study and Prevention of Tuberculosis.

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Second Annual  
TRIBUNE MODIFIED MARATHON  
Twice Around Lake Merritt. Distance, 6 1/4 Miles.  
ADMISSION DAY, SEPTEMBER 9.  
Same Valuable Trophies, Medals and Silver Bars as last year.  
Open to all registered amateurs.

P. A. A. Registration Number.....  
Club or School affiliations if any.....  
[Fill out this blank and mail to Sporting Editor TRIBUNE.]



The second annual swimming meet of the Oakland playgrounds will take place on August 29 in Surf Beach. The youngsters are enthusiastic and it was found necessary to limit entries to the swimmer from each playground to each event. The little fellows from the De Fremery took the greater portion of the glory last year together with the four fine trophies offered. These are to be won three times before they become permanent property and the De Fremery boys are anxious to win another leg in the competition.

The University of California swimming team holds its first relay next Friday, when Captain Ludy Langer, who recently broke the world's record for 440 yards, calls together one of the greatest groups of swimmers in the country. The university is fortunate in having Frank Resleur back again. While in Europe, the one-legged marvel swam in the greatest style, and won the 440 title of England just before his return to this country.

Many schools represented in race for diamond medals

The Oakland Wheelmen's Club today notified the management of THE TRIBUNE Annual Marathon that on September 9, Admission day, Piedmont pavilion will be placed at the disposal of all competitors in the race. This means that all entrants must have their names on the list in which to describe and dress again, with shower baths, rubber tables and all accessories of well conducted games. A staff of able physicians will be on hand early in the morning to examine all runners and have no physician's certificate as to their physical fitness for such a contest. Runners will gather at Piedmont pavilion about 9 o'clock. Here they will receive their numbers, and the checkers, and will be given their numbers, as well as complimentary tickets to the Oakland Boys' head has been in.

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SUNG BY TY COBB

I haven't had a battle for a week or two  
I haven't smote a butther on the brow  
I haven't busted into print, which breaks  
The heart of me  
So I'll sign another three-year contract now.

HE'S ALMOST WORTH IT

"I'll be glad for nothing," says Murphy, a pug who is canine. And Corbitt replies with a glint in his eyes.  
"I'll card you for half of the same."

THE QUESTION BOX

To the Sporting Editor: How would you like to see a list of the games played in the Coast League? I did not see any of the games, but I am sure you would like to see them. I am sure you would like to see them.

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GRUNAN GETS HIS CHANCE  
AT SHORT-BOAT CROWN  
THIS EVENING

(By THE TIMEKEEPER.)

Ralph Grunan, whom Harry Foley has been grooming for the San Francisco 20-round game for the last couple of months is to have his chance at the crown of the four-rounders tonight when he meets Sally Salvatore, since the Sacramento lad's defeat of Willie Hoppe, he has been recognized as the leader of the short bout boys across the bay, and if the Portland lad can beat him tonight, there will be some big offers coming his way.

Harry Willie and George Christian, heavyweights, are carded as a special event. Willie is reported to have had a fight in London, and is touted as the heavyweight champion of the South. Christian has appeared several times in local bouts, and has won two matches with Willie Meehan.

Jeff Smith, who has recently gained fame in Australia and France and is recognized in those countries as the legitimate middleweight champion of the world, arrived in San Francisco yesterday from the Antipodes, with his manager, Mr. J. J. McKeown.

B'NAI B'RITH LODGES  
ANNOUNCE NINES

The B'NAI B'RITH lodges of San Francisco and Oakland will play their annual baseball games at the Edenwood Park, in Contra Costa county, on Sunday as a special feature of the annual picnic and games of the organization. The game is to be played for a cup donated by A. J. Simmons of the Oakland order. The teams will be as follows:

Two Stores in Oakland.

"A Hat to Fit Your Face"

Bertillon

1025 Broadway  
Between 10th and 11th Sts.  
Near Fourteenth St.

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PACIFIC COAST LEAGUE

RESULTS YESTERDAY.  
At Oakland—San Francisco 6, Venice 5.  
At Los Angeles—First game: Los Angeles 4, Sacramento 3. Second game: Los Angeles 2, Sacramento 1.  
At Portland—Oakland 2, Portland 1.

STANDING OF THE CLUBS.

Club	Won	Lost	Pct.
Portland	7	5	.589
Venice	7	5	.589
San Francisco	6	4	.600
Los Angeles	4	2	.667
Sacramento	3	4	.429
Oakland	2	1	.667

OFFICIALS NAMED FOR SUNDAY MEET

for the bay counties track and field meet to be held Sunday afternoon at the Golden Gate Park Stadium, for which 1,500 athletes have entered.

CONSOLIDATION PLAN FAILS.

The proposal to consolidate three of the driving clubs in San Francisco failed of materialization last night at a meeting in the Palace hotel, when representatives of the three organizations concerned failed to come to any agreement regarding officers or a plan of action. It is believed the project will be abandoned.

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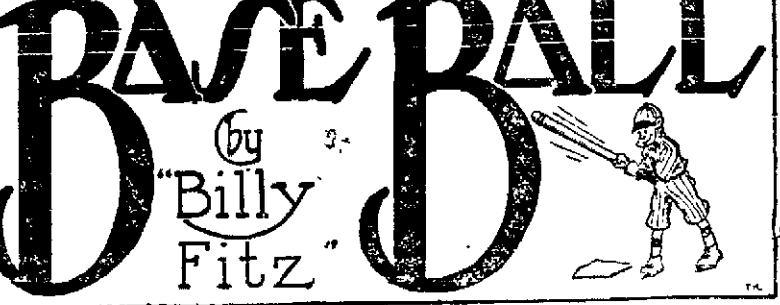
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Eddie Colligan's safe swat in the ninth yesterday not only saved the game, but it clinched the slipping Seal club by the seat of the breeches and was all that kept them from sliding into the second division. Los Angeles won two games and had the Seals lost, would have gone into third place by a point. That blow from Colligan's bat, however, was a Seal utility infielder. Which reminds us that this same Colligan was a member of the Seal club for nearly two seasons without accumulating anything more pretentious than a record of three times at bat and no hits. Someone figured it out that Colligan cost the Seals \$100, not counting his salary, wherefore his three trips to the plate represented an expenditure of much more than the value of the Seal club.

VENICE PLAYERS ARE FIGHTING AMONGST THEMSELVES.

Happily Hogan was not there yesterday, and the fight between the Seal club and the Venice club was a result of the fight between the Seal club and the Venice club. The Seal club was a result of the fight between the Seal club and the Venice club.

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## SEEK RECALL OF STOCKTON MAYOR

Petitions Are to Be Circulated Against Reubenstein and Commissioners.

Stockton, Aug. 21.—It was officially announced at the City Hall yesterday that a demand had been made on City Clerk Kuhn for 2500 recall petitions to be circulated against Mayor R. R. Reubenstein and Commissioners D. J. O'Keefe and Floyd Kenyon. The demand

was made by H. W. Coole, representing the Committee of One Hundred, and the city clerk promptly ordered the petitions printed.

It is declared that vice is thriving in the city and that the mayor and commissioners have done nothing to suppress it. In discussing the matter the Mayor said: "I will fight for the office."

Napa, Aug. 21.—The Board of Supervisors and Engineer A. E. Loder of the State Highway Commission held a conference here yesterday on the proposed Black Point cut-off, which would cost \$350,000 and extend through Sonoma and Marin counties and 6.5 miles into Napa county, but were unable to reach an agreement.

Sacramento, Aug. 21.—A formal invitation to the American Institute of Bankers to hold its national convention in San Francisco in 1915 was issued yesterday by Governor Johnson. The bankers will meet in annual convention at Dallas, Texas, September 11. The Governor's invitation was delivered to the Dallas bankers to be read at the Dallas meeting.

San Rafael, Aug. 21.—Laran Council, No. 52, Young Ladies' Institute, has elected officers as follows: Past president, Mrs. Alice M. Frey; president, Miss Maud E. Boyd; vice-presidents, Miss Alice M. Clark and Miss Marguerite Buchanan; marshal, Mrs. Nellie Turner; organist, Miss Ada Legner; secretaries, Miss Estelle P. Boyd and Miss Ellen McCarthy; trustees, Miss Eva Lyon, Mrs. Katherine Clark, Miss Madeline Lafargue.

## COMMITTEE PREPARES COLUMBUS DAY PLANS

A meeting of the committee in charge of the Columbus Day celebration, which will be held in Oakland next October, will meet tonight in the Commercial Club rooms at the Hotel Oakland to perfect further plans for the festival. Frank W. Bilger will preside and many of the best known men and women in the east bay will attend.

George L. Hutchin, who put on the Rose festival at Portland, has volunteered his services and is already at work on the program, which will be held on Lake Merritt and at Lakeside park, and is arranging for the parade, which will be among the features of the festa. The queen contest, the winner to preside over the festivities, will soon be inaugurated. President Benjamin Ide Wheeler of the University of California, has accepted the committee of the festival committee and this feature of the program will be the finest ever held in Oakland, the committee announces.

## VALLEJO NEWS

### MEN-OF-WAR WILL COME TO VALLEJO

Ships to Receive Repairs at Mare Island Yard After Passing Canal.

MARE ISLAND, Aug. 21.—The navy yard of the navy at Mare Island, Calif., has received the news that the men-of-war, after their passage through the big ditch from the Atlantic side, will probably take from two or three weeks to make the run to the exposition city as they may stop at San Diego for target practice and will also call at Los Angeles for a few days.

Most of the big ships as well as the torpedo boat destroyers and auxiliary vessels will come to Mare Island for repairs after their arrival in the lower bay and it is quite likely that some of the dreadnaughts will be docked in No. 2 cradle which is capable of holding vessels of the Utah class.

Mare Island officials have been advised by the Navy Department that the first and second divisions of the Atlantic armada will begin to arrive at San Francisco by the Panama Canal by next February or March. It was originally intended that the dreadnaughts should be in the lower bay early in January, but owing to the fact that very few foreign vessels will arrive at the exposition city by the first of the year on account of the European war the officials at Washington, D. C., have decided to keep the big American war ships on the east coast a month or so longer.

Shortly after the new steel coal lighters were undocked at Mare Island yesterday afternoon they were turned over to the general storekeeper by the Hill department and it is understood that they will be towed to California City in the very near future. The coal barges are modern in every particular and were built by the Mare Island mechanics well under the estimate cost of construction.

The cruiser Albany has arrived at Mazatlan, Mexico, and the Mare Island officials are of the opinion that the man-of-war will come north shortly to keep the crew liberty. There is a possibility that the Albany may come here next month to be docked and receive some minor repairs.

The crew of the Glacier has finished taking on board her cargo of stores, according to the latest advices received at the local naval station and it is some time before the ship will depart for the Pacific patrol fleet in Mexican waters. The auxiliary vessel will depart for Mazatlan. The Glacier is due to come to Mare Island next month to be docked and repaired.

HELD FOR NEGLECT. VALLEJO, Aug. 21.—Chief of Police W. T. Stanford yesterday received a telegram from Chief of Police Johnson of Sacramento announcing that Gus Anderson of this city had been arrested at that place and was being held for the local police. Anderson, who was employed in a local barber shop, deserted his wife and young son nearly three weeks ago and the police of the state have been looking for him ever since.

VALLEJO SCHOOL CROWDED. VALLEJO, Aug. 21.—Despite the fact that the capacity of the Lincoln school has been greatly increased as a result of the changes made in that building, the big structure was crowded as a result of the increased attendance and two classes have been forced into the basement of the Jefferson primary school. In order to handle the large number of pupils the board of education last Wednesday night decided to install 50 new desks in the Lincoln school building.

## UNIVERSITY MAN WEDS PROFESSOR'S DAUGHTER

STANFORD UNIVERSITY, Aug. 21.—Miss Ruth Snow, daughter of Professor A. R. Snow of the Stanford history department, became the bride of Edward Kotok, a University of Michigan graduate, in the forestry service at Sisson, at the home of her mother.

The Rev. Roy H. Campbell of the Palo Alto Congregational Church performed the ceremony. The bride is the sister of Berter Snow, who was graduated from Stanford in 1909 and is working at Sisson. It was while visiting her brother last summer that she met Kotok. She was graduated from the Palo Alto high school and affiliated with the Stanford 1914 class. Gamma Phi Beta is her sorority. The couple will live in Sisson.

VANDERBILT YACHT SEARCHED. NEW LONDON, Aug. 21.—Harold Vanderbilt's schooner-yacht Yagrant was closely searched Wednesday by the customs officials to prevent the shipment of arms and ammunition. No munitions of war were found. This is the first search of its kind since the war in Europe. The Yagrant put to sea Wednesday night.

## KEY ROUTE PIER MAY BE TERMINAL

Santa Fe Officials Consider the Removal From Richmond to Oakland.

Oakland, instead of Richmond, may, in the near future, be the Atchison, Topeka & Santa Fe terminal for the west, according to plans being discussed by officials of the company now engaged on the problem of reorganizing the company's terminal system. Following the installation of the Santa Fe freight yards in Oakland, on the eastern, it had for some time been expected that efforts would be made to change the passenger terminal as well. Yesterday a number of Santa Fe officials went over the ground, looking into several proposed plans for the change.

It is probable, according to railroad officials, that the establishment of a Santa Fe passenger and freight station on the Key Route pier, as soon as the development work now in progress there is completed. There has also been some discussion of a working agreement by which the Santa Fe would route its trains over the Oakland mole. To do this the Santa Fe trains would be compelled to run from the Fortieth street yards of the Santa Fe onto the main line Southern Pacific tracks and thence to the mole. The Key Route pier would be easier of negotiation, say the engineers, save for the "sub-way" or dip under the Southern Pacific tracks, which is steep.

The officials inspecting the lines yesterday refused to make public the plans discussed, or to announce their conclusions simply declaring that all possibilities were being weighed.

The members of the inspection party included Edwin Chambers, first vice-president; Major Hine, department organizer; J. W. Walker of Fresno, division superintendent, and A. G. Wells of Los Angeles, general manager.

## FRENCH REPRESENTATIVE APPOINTED FOR FAIR

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 20.—On the heels of the official announcement from France that she will carry out her plans for elaborate participation regardless of the war, comes the announcement received yesterday by President Charles C. Moore that the French senator, Victor Vermeil, has been appointed official representative of France to attend and report on all of the many agricultural and horticultural congresses which will meet at the exposition in 1915.

The great importance which Europe attaches to the exposition is found in the fact that foreign countries now at war which have officially agreed to participate in 1915, not one has withdrawn. Italy, which was erroneously reported to have withdrawn, has taken no such action.

The National Association of Gardeners, now in session in Boston, will meet at the Exposition in 1915. This is the third horticultural congress that has been secured. The others are the Society of American Florists and Horticulturists and the Florists' Hall Society of America.

## NEGRO PROMOTER GIVEN WARNING BY BRITISHER

GALVESTON, Tex., Aug. 21.—The steamship Liberia, carrying Chief Alfred Sany, who is promoting the "back to Africa" movement, and forty-nine other negroes, sailed late yesterday for African ports.

The small passenger list, it is said, is due to a warning issued by the British consul at Galveston, notifying Sany that his party would be considered only as a committee of inspection and their remaining in Africa would be determined by the British authorities.

## U. S. COMMISSIONERS AID IN ABATING REVOLUTION

SANTO DOMINGO, Aug. 21.—James Sullivan, American minister to Santo Domingo, and the American peace commissioners, together with the Dominican generals, Horacio Vasquez and Juan I. Jimenes, have arrived on board the United States cruiser Washington and Prairie in an endeavor to bring the revolution to an end. Quiet prevails here and the people express confidence that peace will be restored at an early date.

## LEFT GRAIN EMBARGO.

NEW ORLEANS, Aug. 21.—Early lifting of the embargo declared by the Illinois Central railroad against shipments of grain to this port is being urged here to be presaged by an order issued by the road today directing the movement of all cars of grain now on its tracks at points north of Memphis, Tenn. It was stated that the order would mean the immediate shipment here of 1,000,000 bushels of wheat.

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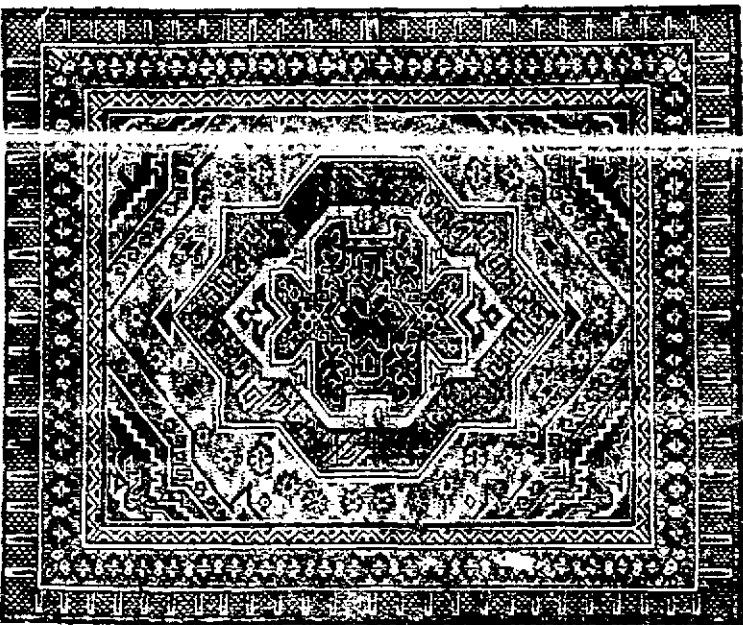
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### SAN FRANCISCO BELLE HOME FROM HONEYMOON

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 21.—Returning home for the first time since her honeymoon trip to Australia more than a year ago, Mrs. Vera Lindstrom Cosby, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. A. O. Lindstrom of

this city, was a passenger on the liner Sonoma from Sydney yesterday. Dark, vivacious and full of spirit, Mrs. Cosby was the life of the ship on a trip that otherwise would have been dull. With her was Mrs. J. P. Cameron, a former San Rafael girl, who, with Mrs. Cosby, was a bride when the liner Sonoma sailed for the Antipodes in June, 1913. Mrs. George Earle Phillips, a sister of Mrs. Cosby, was another of the party traveling from Sydney for a stay of several weeks in California. The marriage of Vera Lindstrom and James F. Cosby, nephew of J. A. Chambers, took place just before the sailing of the Sonoma and was a complete surprise to their friends.

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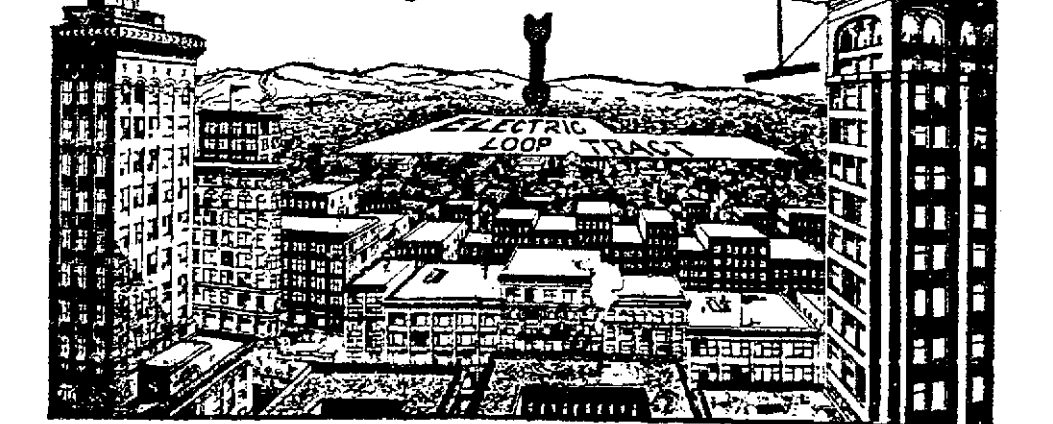
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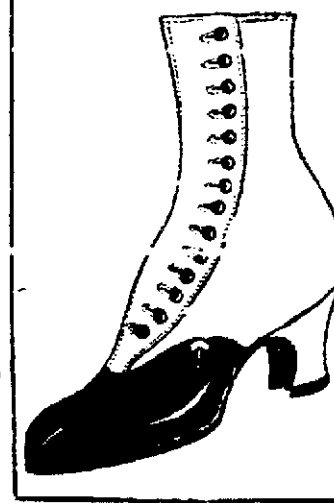
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